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Auburn To Install 11th President—

Two-Day Program Planned For Philpott Inaugural



HONORARY DOCTORATE—Jackson B. McGowen, second from right, received the honorary Doctor of Laws from Auburn University at March 16 graduation exercises. McGowen is vice president of the Douglas Aircraft Corp. With him are his brothers, James McGowen '49 of New Orleans, left, and Neal E. "Dick" McGowen '41 of Montgomery, right; his mother, Mrs. J. R. McGowen, Sr., of Birmingham; and Auburn President Harry M. Philpott.

To Support Superior Teaching—

AAG Climbs Toward \$100,000 Mark

The 1966 Auburn Annual Giving moved steadily ahead during the past month, climbing within sight of the \$100,000 mark. More than 700 contributors gave \$24,000, duplicating almost to the dollar the previous month's giving to push the mid-April total to \$63,120.

Last year more than 2,900 charter contributors established the program of Auburn Annual Giving with gifts in excess of \$166,000. The AAG program provides salary supplements for selected professors, designated as Alumni Professors. The first six such faculty members were appointed in January by President Harry M. Philpott. In the future the professorships may be used in recruiting new faculty as well as in retaining key members now on the faculty.

Again this year the principal goal of AAG will be funds to increase the number of faculty awarded three-year terms as Alumni Professors. Annual Giving also provides a vehicle for support of particular projects which may be designated by donors, though the professorships are encouraged as priority need of the University at present.

While the number of contributors dropped below last month's an increasing number of Century Club gifts kept the dollar total growing at last month's rate. Gifts of \$100 or more qualify donors for membership in the honorary Century Club.

"Although approximately \$80,000 of last year's total came from a dozen major gifts, we hope to see 1966 Auburn Annual Giving go well past \$100,000," noted Alumni Association President Ken L.

Lott '41. "Increasing numbers of alumni see the need of quality instruction, realize that alumni of other schools are helping to supplement regular teaching budgets, and now are supporting our effort to provide the funds with which Auburn can compete for superior teachers."

One member of the Class of 1938 sent in a gift of \$28, noting that his gift represented a dollar for each year since graduation, perhaps implying that this might be a means of increasing the average gift.

"Formal solicitation is scheduled to close on May 31," President Lott explained, "which means many of us must act on our good intentions. We continue to present Annual Giving on its merits. I can't improve on Ben Gilmer's recent observation that 'there is no dollar mark on the Auburn Spirit. Every gift is important.'"

Publications Board Plans Whitley Fund

The Auburn University Publications Board has established a journalism scholarship fund in honor of Mary Whitley, former *Plainsman* editor who was killed in an automobile accident Feb. 18.

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A busy schedule is planned for alumni, teachers, and other guests attending the inauguration of Dr. Harry M. Philpott as Auburn's 11th president. Beginning on Thursday, May 12, the two-day affair will culminate with formal inauguration ceremonies at 10 a.m. May 13 in Cliff Hare Stadium.

Registration will begin at 10 a.m. on Thursday in the Union Building. The first scheduled event is the formal naming of the Auburn library for Dr. Ralph Brown Draughon at 3:00 that afternoon. Seventeen years ago on May 12 at 3:15 Dr. Draughon was inaugurated as Auburn's 10th president.

According to Dr. Floyd Vallery, assistant to the president and chairman of the inaugural committee, a symposium of Southern educators will discuss aspects of "The Services of the Land-Grant University" Thursday night at 8:15 in Langdon Hall.

Top Missile Scientist To Aid EE Research

Dr. Walter Haeussermann, a top missile scientist at Huntsville, has been appointed a member of the Auburn University Graduate Faculty. The appointment is in addition to his duties as director of Astrionics Laboratory, Marshall Space Flight Center in Huntsville.

Serving Auburn as professor electrical engineering in a non-resident capacity, Dr. Haeussermann, will supervise doctoral research conducted by electrical engineering students of Auburn at M.S.-F.C.

Dr. Haeussermann's appointment, approved by Dr. Wernher Von Braun, director of the Marshall Center, was made by Auburn President Harry M. Philpott.

"Auburn welcomes Dr. Haeussermann to its Graduate Faculty with sincere appreciation for his interest in our graduate program. His supervision of our students at Marshall Space Flight Center will provide a significant new dimension to the growing doctoral program in our Department of Electrical Engineering," Dr. Philpott said.

Dr. Haeussermann, a native of Kuenzelsau, Germany, received his Doctorate (Dr.-Ing) in physics and mathematics from the Institute of Technology at Darmstadt. In 1948 he came to the U.S. under contract to the Army as part of Dr. von Braun's team.

In 1954, Dr. Haeussermann became a naturalized U.S. citizen and director of Guidance and Control Laboratory, which is now the Astrionics Laboratory.

Dr. Haeussermann's work has included research and development in the guidance and control field for the Jupiter IRBM system, the Pershing Missile system, the earth satellite undertakings supporting the International Geophysical Year, and with the SATURN project.

For outstanding work in his field, Dr. Haeussermann received the Department of Army Decoration for Exceptional Civilian Service award in 1959. In 1963 he was awarded the NASA Medal for Outstanding Leadership.

All alumni are invited to attend the events of the inaugural program.

Winfred Godwin, director of the Southern Regional Education Board, will moderate the symposium. Participants discussing varying phases of the land-grant university include Dr. Andrew F. Holt, president of the University of Tennessee and Dr. Philpott's classmate; Dr. Wayne Reitz, president of the University of Florida; and Dr. O. C. Aderhold, president of the University of Georgia. Dr. Holt will speak on liberal education followed by Dr. Reitz who will discuss professional education at land-grant universities and Dr. Aderhold whose topic is continuing education and off-campus services.

Professors Frank Applebee, Maltby Sykes, and Carl Benson are designing an official medallion emblematic of the office of president which will be presented to Dr. Philpott during the installation ceremonies.

Pharmacy School Plans Honor For Hargreaves

Faculty, students and alumni will honor Professor George W. Hargreaves of the School of Pharmacy at a banquet in the Union Ballroom on May 4. This year Professor Hargreaves will conclude 40 years of continuous service to the Auburn School of Pharmacy. The program will consist of the presentation of student awards at 6:00, dinner at 7:00, and a special tribute to Professor Hargreaves at 8:00 p.m.

A portrait of Professor Hargreaves, painted by Maltby Sykes of the Art Department, will be unveiled and appropriate gifts will be presented. Pharmacy alumni have been sent special notices. In the event anyone has not received his notice and would like to attend or contribute to the Hargreaves Recognition Fund, he should contact Professor Joe M. Rash, School of Pharmacy, Auburn University, Auburn, Ala.



HAEUSSERMAN . . to EE staff

At Least 29 Have Served Or Are Serving—

Peace Corps Salutes Auburn Alumni Volunteers



SOUTHEASTERN CHAMPS—Auburn students of economics and business administration defeated 37 other colleges and universities to become Southeastern champions in the Intercollegiate Business Game. Displaying the semi-finalist and championship trophies are, from left, Howard Wells of Birmingham, Clyde Smith of Union Springs, and Dave Barton of Sarasota, Fla., with their adviser, Dr. William D. Clark, assistant professor of management.

Best Of 38 Teams—

Auburn Triumphs In Business Game

A team of Auburn University business administration students proved tops in production and sales in taking the Southeastern championship over 37 other colleges and universities competing in the Intercollegiate Business Game and Conference recently at Emory University.

The business game—theoretical production of an item and its sale—is often played by leading industries in training managerial personnel. It is played by universities in training future business executives for industry.

Beginning in early February, the 38 competing schools were divided into five industries with seven or eight teams comprising each industry. Each team competed with other members of his industry in a simulated business environment programmed by the Emory University Business School computer.

The business game was played from the campuses where each week the teams made decisions on each phase of the industry—price, production, advertising and selling, research and development, plant and equipment, and dividends to stockholders. Decisions were relayed to Emory for processing.

The Auburn team competed with the University of Kentucky, Old Dominion College, and Duke University for the industry award. The championship award was in competition with Rollins College, Georgia State College, West Virginia Institute of Technology, and David Lipscomb College, all winners in their industrial divisions.

The competition was sponsored by the Sales and Marketing Executives Atlanta, Inc., in cooperation with the Emory Graduate School.

While the Intercollegiate Business Game program has been conducted before, this was Auburn's first time to participate.

Hemphill In Vietnam As Correspondent

In mid-April, Paul Hemphill '59, columnist for *The Atlanta Journal* began a two-month assignment as Vietnam war correspondent.

The *Alumnews* expects to have our own correspondent in Vietnam while Paul is there since he has indicated he will send *The Alumnews* any news he finds about Auburn alumni in Vietnam—if he has time while staying out of the way of the Viet Cong and writing six columns a week for *The Journal*.

Whitley Fund

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A committee is currently trying to raise \$2,500 to establish the fund which will provide an annual \$100 scholarship for an outstanding junior journalism student. Setting May 10 as target date for collection of funds, the committee hopes to be able to present the first award May 24 at the Auburn University Honors Day.

Speaking for the Publications Board, Student Body President George McMillan said: "We welcome contributions of any size to this fund. Its establishment reflects the high degree of admiration and respect Auburn students and faculty had for Mary."

Contributions may be made payable to the Mary Whitley Award and mailed to Dean James E. Foy, Board of Student Publications, 304 Mary Martin Hall, Auburn University.

On its fifth anniversary during March, the Peace Corps sent Auburn University a plaque saluting Auburn and its 29 alumni who are serving and have served as Peace Corps volunteers throughout the world.

The citation quotes Thanat Khonman, foreign minister of Thailand: "It is indeed striking that this important idea, the most powerful idea in recent times, of a Peace Corps, of youth mingling, living, working with youth, should come from the mightiest nation on earth, the United States. Many of us who did not know about the United States thought of this great nation as a wealthy nation, a powerful nation, endowed with great material strength and many powerful weapons. But how many of us know that in the United States ideas and ideals are also powerful? This is the secret of your greatness, of your might, which is not imposing or crushing people, but is filled with the hope of future good will and understanding."

According to a Peace Corps representative who was on campus in January, the following people are now in the field: Samuel P. Acton, Jr. '64 and Benjamin L. Hagler '64 are both in Tunisia on public works projects; Charles A. Boutwell '64 is working in education in Peru; Virginia C. Miller '65 is in educational work in Nigeria; James C. Dinsmore '64 is in Turkey also working in education; Hugh E. Turner '61 is in East Pakistan in public works.

Henry K. Pecte is in Morocco doing rural community development work; William R. Perry '64 is working in agriculture in India; Walter K. Williams '64 is doing health work in Malawi; Harold S. Kearns, Jr. '63 is in education in Sabah, Malaysia; Carl David Awsumb '65 is with urban community development in Cameroon; Charles F. Lewis '59 is working with urban community development in Chile.

Harold E. Fisher is doing agricultural work in Nepal; George Gardner '65 and his wife Lisa Sanders Gardner '64 are in Chile working with rural community development; and Anne Murphy '65, Patricia Hill '64, and Mark C. Linsay, III '65 are all in Columbia. Anne is working with health, Pat with education, and Mark with rural community development.

According to the same Peace Corps source, these people have served a tour of duty and are now back in the states: James Bell, Jr. '58 was in Brazil; Charles L. Feltus '61 was in Ethiopia; Gilbert Griffiths '59 and Robert B. Pooley '61 were both in Tanganyika; John M. Johnston '46 was in Sierra Leone; Jesse A. Bradford was in India; Jan W. Gober was in

Columbia; Gerald V. Rutland was in Brazil; Hayle A. Snuggs was in the Philippines; and Blanchard Weber was in Morocco.

Textile Department To Get New Name

The Department of Textile Technology will get a new name, effective with the summer quarter. It will then become the Department of Textile Engineering, according to Dean Fred H. Pumphrey, School of Engineering.

The new name will reflect an updating of services. New curricula will be added in textile engineering and textile chemistry. Textile science will be dropped.

Textile chemistry is a new course to train students in the chemistry of natural and man-made fibers and in the theory and practice of textile dyeing and finishing.

Textile engineering prepares the student for graduate work or for a career in textile research, engineering production and management in the textile and allied industries.

The change has been made on the advice of the American Society for Engineering, the Engineering Council for Professional Development, and the textile industry, according to Head Professor Cleveland Adams.

"Textile engineers are presently in great demand by the industry," Adams said. "The new curricula offers a more direct application to industry which should benefit both the textile industry and the student who is the prospective employee."

The Department of Textile Engineering will be buying machinery and equipment worth a quarter of a million dollars to update the department and for staff additions, Adams said. The textile industry has offered much of the financial assistance.

11 Graduates Win Academic Distinction

Eleven students were graduated with special academic honors at winter quarter commencement exercises held here in March. Two graduated "with highest honor" by earning at least a 2.8 average. The "high honor" designation indicates a 2.6 or better average, and for the "with honor" distinction, a minimum average of 2.4 is required.

Graduating with "highest honor" were: Linda Carroll Whittle, B. S. in Education, Georgianna; Stuart Wilbur McEwen, III, B.S. in Science and Literature, Sylacauga.

With "high honor": Angela Corinne Kennedy Payne, B.S. in Education, Troy; William Vernon Barber, Jr., Bachelor of Aerospace Engineering, Huntsville.

With "honor": Diane Newsom Pullum, B.S. in Education, Alexander City; Terry Lee Bradford, Bachelor of Electrical Engineering, Huntsville; Joseph Leo Raley, Jr., Bachelor of Electrical Engineering, Birmingham; Oliver Dowling Kingsley, Jr., Bachelor of Engineering Physics; Catherine Evelyn McDonald, B. A. in Science and Literature, Gadsden; Patricia Eloise Little Fisher, B.A. in Science and Literature, Auburn; Lawrence George Karch, B.S. in Science and Literature, Birmingham.

Mechanical Engineers Win District Honors

The Auburn University chapter of the American Society of Mechanical Engineering has been named winner of the Bendix Award, presented each year to the most outstanding chapter in the district.

The \$100 award, sponsored by the district ASME, is awarded on the basis of chapter activities, accomplishments of the chapter's members, and professional development.

Competition was among the nine schools of District XI, which includes Alabama, Georgia, Florida, Mississippi and part of Tennessee.

Dr. Reginald I. Vachon, associate Alumni Professor of mechanical engineering, is faculty advisor for the Auburn chapter.

Auburn Promotes 12 Teachers To Graduate Faculty

The addition of 12 new faculty members has strengthened the Auburn University Graduate School. The group includes seven promotions from associate standing. Another 16 professors have been named as associates.

Among the new members is Dr. Walter Haeussermann who will supervise doctoral research of Auburn students at Marshall Space Flight Center in addition to his duties as director of the Astrionics Laboratory. His non-resident appointment carries the title of professor of electrical engineering.

Other new members of the Graduate Faculty include Dr. Ward Allen, English; Dr. Ray C. Phillips, foundations of education; Dr. Herman D. Alexander, physiology and pharmacology; and Dr. Donald P. Foshee, psychology.

Associates promoted to the Graduate Faculty include: Branimir D. Djordjevic and Dr. Kenneth E. Harwell, aerospace engineering; Dr. Lowell E. Wilson, agricultural economics; Dr. James G. Henrick, III, agricultural engineering; Dr. Paul F. Parks, animal science; Dr. Norton L. Marshall, botany and plant pathology; Maurice A. Hartman, economics and business administration; Dr. Grady E. Harlan, educational administration.

Dr. Edgar L. Roughton and Dr. Gary D. Spencer, elementary education; Dr. J. R. Calder, mathematics; Dr. Walter A. Jemian, mechanical engineering; Dr. Charles H. Woodley, physiology and pharmacology; Dr. William Harold Moon, psychology; Dr. Melvin W. Carter, radiological science; and Lacy L. Hyche, zoology-entomology.

RELIGIOUS AFFAIRS—Five visiting lecturers discussed "Faith in Conflict" during Auburn University's Religious Affairs Conference April 10-13. Former U. S. Congressman from Arkansas, Brooks Hays made the keynote address on Sunday. Panel participants dealing with the relevance of the traditional doctrines of Judeo-Christianity included Dr. Charles Wellborn, chaplain and associate professor of religion at Florida State University; Dr. James Petty, minister of the Manhattan Church of Christ and chaplain at the Lenox Hill Hospital in New York City; and Professor Delos McKown, assistant professor of philosophy at Auburn University. Other speakers for the two-day conference were Dr. Will Herberg, graduate professor of philosophy and culture at Drew University, and James Dowdy, chief of training at George C. Marshall Space Flight Center.

GOVERNOR'S DAY—Annual Governor's Day Celebration Activities April 14 centered around the Auburn ROTC. Soon after his arrival, Gov. Wallace inspected an honor guard of squads from the Army, Navy, and Air Force ROTC under command of Army Cadet Capt. Herbert H. Martin of Birmingham. He later inspected the troops of the three branches. Special guests at a luncheon given in the Governor's honor were members of the Board of Directors of the Associated Industries of Alabama and their wives who were meeting on the Auburn campus.

LINGUIST VISITS—Dr. Gerhard Nickel, professor of linguistics at Kiel University in Germany and Visiting Professor of Linguistics at the University of South Carolina, lectured at Auburn April 14 and 15. While in Auburn he conferred with members of the English Department which is currently strengthening its linguistics offerings.

EDUCATION GROUP SPONSORS SPEAKER—The new Auburn chapter of The Council For Exceptional Children

along with the Department of Elementary Education sponsored the recent visit of Dr. Francis E. Lord, chairman of the Department of Special Education and director of the Special Education Center at California State College in Los Angeles.

HIGHWAY ENGINEERING CONFERENCE—Highway engineers met at Auburn April 5-6 for their ninth annual conference. Session participants included Auburn and University of Alabama Civil Engineering professors, highway department personnel, and members of related industries. Joint sponsors of the conference, co-ordinated by Dr. Thomas L. Bransford of the Auburn Civil Engineering Department, were the Alabama Highway Department, The Alabama Association of County Engineers, the Alabama Roadbuilders' Association, and the Auburn Civil Engineering Department.

PHARMACY SEMINARS—Dr. Carl J. Wust, biochemist in the biology division of the Oak Ridge National Laboratory, presented two seminars on Mar. 24-25 and consulted with students and faculty in the area of immunochemistry during his two-day stay on campus. Two weeks later, the School of Pharmacy and McKesson Robbins, Inc., sponsored a drug marketing conference to give students the latest drug and health marketing information.

PHYSICS COLLOQUIUMS—Speakers for recent Physics Department Colloquiums included Dr. Russell Baldock, research physicist in mass spectrometry at Oak Ridge National Laboratories; Dr. B. C. De Loach, Jr., '51 supervisor of a microwave diode group in the Semiconductor Device Laboratory at Bell Telephone Laboratories; Carl Nave, graduate student at Georgia Tech who will receive his Ph.D. in June; and Dr. Howard Goldberg, professor of physics at Tuskegee Institute.

READING WORKSHOPS—The Auburn School of Education through the Elementary and Secondary School Act is sponsoring a series of brief but concentrated workshops on reading for teachers who have been out of school for several years. County and city schools which have participated thus far include Calhoun, Marshall, Clay, Talladega, Talladega City Schools, Etowah, Lawrence, Talladega City Schools, Chambers, Lanett City Schools, Limestone, Auburn City Schools, Randolph, and Coosa.

GUEST LECTURERS—Recent visitors to the Auburn campus for scientific lectures included: Dr. Robert H. Eustis, director of the Energy Conversion Laboratory at Stanford University; Dr. Richard H. Battin, deputy associate director of the instrumentation laboratory at MIT; and Dr. Fred W. McLaggerty, professor of chemistry at Purdue University and national authority on mass spectrometry.

ASAE FELLOWS—Auburn alumnus, Dr. Arthur W. Cooper '39, and Auburn professor of agricultural engineering, Dr. Jesse H. Neal, have been elected to the honorary grade of Fellow in the American Society of Agricultural Engineers. Dr. Cooper directs the USDA's National Tillage Machinery Laboratory located on the Auburn campus. Under his guidance, research at the Laboratory has attained leadership throughout the world and the Tillage Lab serves as a model for



LEOPOLD MEMORIAL AWARD—Dr. H. S. Swingle, head of fisheries research at Auburn University Agricultural Experiment Station, last month received the Leopold Memorial Award, the country's highest honor for professional excellence in fish and wildlife science. In March, Dr. Swingle served on a special mission to Vietnam and was fisheries specialist at a training program for youth leaders from 30 nations of Central and South America, Asia, and Africa held in Puerto Rico.

research units in foreign countries. Dr. Neal has been a college teacher since 1924, teaching first at the University of Minnesota, then at the University of Missouri, and finally at Auburn. A prolific writer, Dr. Neal has authored or co-authored a number of technical papers and research bulletins concerned with the effects of rainfall and water drainage in soil.

TEXTILE SHORT COURSES—Alabama Textile men came to the Auburn campus for three conferences during March and April. Participants studied the textile management information system, spinning processes, and textiles operations research.

Georgia NCCJ Honors Frank M. Malone '27

Frank M. Malone '27, president of Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company, was recently a recipient of the Silver Brotherhood Medallion, the highest award offered by the Georgia Region of the National Conference of Christians and Jews.

In presenting Mr. Malone's award, Dr. Harry V. Richardson, president of the Interdenominational Theological Center, described Malone as "a voice of wisdom, resolution, and good will in the recent years of social change." He said that Atlanta civic groups, charities, youth groups, and artistic endeavors were all beneficiaries of Mr. Malone's "humanitarian zeal."

Also receiving Silver Medallions at the March 31st Brotherhood Banquet in Atlanta were G. Albert Lawton, president of Georgia International Life Insurance Company, and Max M. Cuba, senior partner of Max M. Cuba and Company.

Dr. Sterling W. Brown, president of the Conference, offered the main banquet address. His message was followed by a sing-along session led by Mitch Miller.

Professor Summer Dies In Huntsville

Henry Moss Summer '50, professor of electrical engineering at Auburn University, died in a Huntsville hospital April 2 following a heart attack two days earlier. He was 43.

On the Auburn faculty since 1947, he was instrumental in developing the sponsored research program in electrical engineering. At the time of his attack he was in Huntsville in connection with research contracts with the Army Missile Command and NASA.

Summer graduated from Clemson College with a B.S. in chemistry in 1944, received an electrical engineering degree from Auburn in 1950, and was awarded his Master's from North Carolina State College in 1952.

Dean of Engineering Fred Pumphrey said, "This is a great loss to Auburn and the field of engineering. As coordinator of sponsored research in the Electrical Engineering Department, Professor Summer was largely responsible for the development of the million dollar research program. He was an outstanding teacher and a friend and advisor to hundreds of students."

Professor Summer was a naval veteran of World War II. He was a member of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Alabama Academy of Science, American Society of Engineering Education, Eta Kappa Nu, Tau Beta Pi, the Auburn Civitan Club, Presbyterian Church, Delta Sigma Phi Social Fraternity, and was active in sports programs in Auburn.

He is survived by his wife, the former Glenn Hickman, five children, William Henry, 18; Patricia Ann, 15; twins Katherine Bowen and Nancy Murray, 10; Linda Louise, 4; and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Murray of Fort Valley, Georgia.

Demonstrating At Auburn

There was quite a demonstration on the Auburn campus earlier this month. Alumni within the state probably are well-informed about the two-day event since it received wide press and TV coverage. For those beyond the range of usual coverage of Auburn news, let us note here that while blood flowed freely and the efforts of some 500 people were needed to cope with the demonstration, you can still be proud to claim Auburn as Alma Mater.

Auburn University students reclaimed all records in sight in their "demonstration," contributing 3,507 pints of blood in a two-day Vietnam blood drive. Actually 3,830 volunteered but 323 were rejected, principally for medical histories.

The 1,537 and 1,970 pints on successive days reclaimed from Mississippi State (at 1,400 pints) the one-day record. The 3,507 mark topped the University of Illinois record of 2,125 set in a four-day drive. And just for good measure, the drive boosted Auburn's lead in the cumulative total: 14,833 pints since January, 1952.

Our visit to the drive was a refreshing experience. It was a vivid reminder that through history adults tend to take a dim view of "this younger generation." "The children now . . . have bad manners, contempt for authority. They no longer rise when elders enter the room. They contradict their parents, chatter before company, gobble up dainties at the table, cross their legs, and tyrannize over their teachers," observed Socrates in the fifth century, B.C.

Today's students, of course, are different from those of several decades ago but we wonder if the differences aren't more superficial than basic.

While allowing for the special distinction of being Auburn students and thus natural record-breakers, we wouldn't be surprised if the current students aren't far more typical of their counterparts across the nation than the publicized draft card-burning youth.

As a reminder that more than momentary patriotism is a quality of the student body, there came this week a handsome citation for the University and its alumni from the Peace Corps. As related in the news columns, the Peace Corps tallied 29 Auburn men and women as current or past volunteers. Idealism, concern for others — call it what you will — but admirable qualities are still much in evidence.

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ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS—Ted Williams of Headland and Marolyn Whitworth of Madison received the annual Auburn Alumni Association \$250 scholarships presented at Village Fair April 2. Marolyn also was runnerup for the title of Miss Village Fair.

Estes Henry Hargis

Last month death claimed another of Auburn's distinguished alumni, Estes Henry Hargis, of the Class of 1919, physician and surgeon of Birmingham. With the distinction which he achieved in his professional service to mankind came financial rewards which enabled him to give further evidence of his concern for his fellow man.

His professional success can be measured with some accuracy. Earning his M.S. in surgery at the University of Minnesota, his work with the Mayo Clinic and Dr. Will Mayo won for him the Clinic's first fellowship for study in Europe. Starting his practice in Birmingham, he founded first the Hargis Clinic and later Hospital which remain as further testimony to his 32 years of ministering to the needs of the people of Birmingham.

Retiring in 1960 because of failing health, Dr. Hargis and his devoted wife used their home and 300-acres to enrich the lives of Alabamians. Appropriately named Daffodil Hills, the wooded and flowering hills were open to all. More recently 200 acres of Daffodil Hills were given by the Hargises to the Christian Church which is developing a retreat there.

To most alumni, as to your editor, who never had the privilege of knowing Dr. Hargis personally, he will be remembered as the founder of the two Hargis Professorships, one in American Literature, the other in English Literature. It will remain for future generations to fully assess the significance of his pioneering generosity. He perceived the problem of the humanities — by their nature bypassed by much of the government and foundation emphasis on scientific research and development.

His gift for the first professorship, coming while Annual Giving was still in the planning stages, helped immeasurably to illustrate what professorships might mean to the quality of instruction here. Last year his gift of a second professorship was followed by another named professorship, The Gottlieb Professorship and by the creation of six Alumni Professorships, funded by general alumni giving. Truly Dr. Hargis helped significantly to set in motion a chain of events of untold consequence.

Here and There—

Milton Revisited

By JERRY RODEN, JR., '46

Dr. Ward Allen opened his graduate seminar on John Milton this quarter with a warning against an unquestioning faith in progress. Unflinching allegiance to the doctrine that men are becoming wiser and wiser and hence things better and better may not only render us deaf to the message of the great 17th Century poet but also mislead us about the nature of reality, he suggested. Before plunging into a deeply philosophical examination of the question, Dr. Allen illustrated his argument with references to the history of Auburn.

Drawing upon a surprising knowledge of the achievements of Auburn graduates (Dr. Allen, who is not an Auburn graduate, only began his teaching tenure here in 1964), the English professor raised this question: Rather than talk about improving Auburn all the time, shouldn't we devote some attention to the matter of keeping it as good as it has been? Can Auburn hope to produce a better fighting man than General Holland M. (Howling Mad) Smith? A better architect than Paul Rudolph? A better historian than the late W. L. Fleming? Or more than one president at a time for Southern Bell?

And thus he multiplied examples beyond my ability to recall—and you don't take notes in Dr. Allen's class, for he figures that the brain is always within reach but a notebook likely to stray away. The whole presentation proved to be not only an excellent illustration of his point but also a reminder of an unfulfilled obligation in this column.

During the past year death has claimed a number of men who have done their share to make Auburn all that it has been during the past few decades or is likely to become during the next few. It is time that here we pay their memories some small portion of the tribute due.

Among those departing whom I have known well were two who made their contributions as students:

Captain Glenn Dobbins, who died in a plane crash in Germany last fall, was one of the finest I have ever taught. Coming to Auburn from a remote Alabama community from which he rode more than 20 miles each morning to the nearest high school, Glenn asked for no quarter because of past difficulties, but consistently turned in the kind of papers that make a teacher proud to be in the classroom.

Jeff Stein, killed in auto crash in Mississippi, was one of those students leaders whose common sense reminds that youth often need no apology for its presumed immaturity.

And among the faculty, heart attacks have claimed six to whom both Auburn and I personally owe much:

Professor Telfair Peet, working often with the most meager budget, has provided thousands many a delightful evening in Players Theater. More than that he doubled in pre-World War II days as a professor of speech and thus taught me a lesson that it took me years to assimilate — that manner alone is not enough, that every speaker has the obligation to offer his audience solid food for thought,



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Auburn Alumnalities

'02 Gaston Joel Lipscomb, retired vice president of W. R. Grace & Co. of New York, lives in Demopolis.

'05 Ralph Dudley is president of Dudley Management Corp. in New York, N. Y.

'06 Adolph Weil is chairman of Weil Bros. Cotton, Inc., in Montgomery.

'07 Charles S. Ripley is now retired and lives in Chagrin Falls, Ohio. Roy P. Mitchell is a salesman for Cone-Ehret Agency, Inc., in Toledo, Ohio.

'09 Proud grandfather Donald Kirk, Sr., recently sent *The Alumnews* a clipping about his grandson, Charles M. Kirk, who was honored as student-of-the-month by the Newton Exchange Club of Holland, Pa. The outstanding high school senior is the son of Donald Kirk, Jr., '42 and his wife, the former Alice Henderson, of Holland.

'10 William L. Joseph is retired and lives in Clearwater, Fla.

'11 Robert Knox Green has retired to his farm at Route 2, Greensboro, after 27 years as probate judge.

T. M. Francis is consulting engineer in Birmingham.

Here And There

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else it were better that he stay off his feet. It's a pity that most politicians haven't had such a speech teacher.

Purchasing Agent Frank Powell was a stern supervisor of expenditures under his purview because he believed that Auburn and Alabama taxpayers should get their money's worth. But behind the firm principle stood a warmly compassionate human being, devoted not only to Auburn but dedicated also to humanitarian service through a broad range of civic and fraternal service.

Dr. W. D. Salmon gained national and international renown for his nutritional studies, particularly for discoveries of the relationship between dietary deficiency and cancer. Many of us also remember him as a sage and inspiring counselor for Alpha Zeta, an honorary and service fraternity.

Dr. Vernon Lapp was a man with a joke or light-hearted quip for most occasions, but along with his pleasant good-humor he possessed a real dedication to health education—to propagating knowledge essential to physical preservation and rehabilitation.

Professor George Patton was a beloved and effective economics teacher of firm principle and comprehensive human understanding, who had developed the art of disagreeing without being disagreeable to the point that it was a pleasure to discuss differences with him. It was difficult not to be a gentleman in his presence.

Professor Henry Summer was a young, dedicated leader of space research in Electrical Engineering. He not only had a knack for getting contracts and directing research but also the ability to explain the significance of it in a layman's terms. Thus Henry was, in reality, the author of many of the best Auburn space research stories that have appeared under the bylines of others in *The Alumnews* and elsewhere.

It is indeed true that the only way that we can pay proper tribute to such men as these and their predecessors is to keep Auburn as good as they helped make it.

NEW ADDRESSES: William T. McClure, Rt. 1, Madison, S. C.; James M. Flournoy, Altadena, Calif.

'14 Marion A. Baldwin is retired and living in New Smyrna Beach, Fla.

Col. Ernest C. Adkins lives in San Antonio, Tex., now that he has retired from the Army.

A. E. Booth and his wife Margaret live in Cocoa, Fla., since his retirement.

'15 C. Woodley Harrison retired in 1959 as chief electrical engineer of the T. C. I. Division of U. S. Steel in Birmingham. He is presently chairman of the State Board of Registration for professional engineers and land surveyors.

Alfred L. Harrell has retired from the Soil Conservation Service, and he and his wife, Thelma, live in LaFayette.

Albert Bonds is retired and lives in Lakewood, Ohio.

NEW ADDRESSES: The Rt. Rev. Noble C. Powell, D. D., 5903 Charlesmeade Rd., Baltimore, Md.

'16 James Warren Andrews is retired and lives in Montgomery.

George Roy Corcoran and his wife, Katharine, live in Birmingham. He is retired from U. S. Steel Corp.

'17 Lovell L. Turley is city engineer for the City of Farmington, Mo.

George R. Bowling, former owner of Collins Drug Co., is retired and lives in LaFayette.

William L. Blanton and his wife, Mary, live in Tampa, Fla. He is a retired Army colonel.

Dr. Byron N. Lauderdale of Montgomery is retiring May 31.

John M. Ward, executive vice president of Alabama's Chamber of Commerce, has been named to the Governor's Industrial Advisory Committee.

'18 John F. Yarbrough, a retired county agent, lives at Hamilton.

Ollie C. Ryan directs the Soil Science Foundation in Lakeland, Fla.

'19 Merlin A. Martin is retired and lives in Mobile.

Felix A. Walker is chairman of the board and treasurer of Walker-Williams Lumber Co., Inc., in Hatchechubee.

NEW ADDRESSES: Dr. Robert O. Sudath, Intercession City, Fla.

'20 Roy L. Salter has retired from the American Brake Shoe Co. and lives in Vero Beach, Fla.

'21 Charles Linton Smith has retired and lives in Brownwood, Tex.

Dr. A. Horton Lisenby owns Lisenby Hospital in Panama City, Fla.

Homer G. Bartee is vice president of the National American Bank in New Orleans.

Norman G. Camp teaches science in Blairsville, Ga.

'22 Harry W. Watkins is a professional engineer in Birmingham.

James D. Lawrence lives in Birmingham after his retirement from E. I. dePont de Nemours.

W. Frank Stone is a partner in Stone and Steed, an accounting firm in Houston, Tex.

J. Harvey Allen owns J. H. Allen Co. in Ft. Worth, Tex.

'23 John F. Arnall has retired from American Telephone and Telegraph Co. and lives in Dunedin, Fla.

Joseph K. Watt, Jr., is retired and lives in Laredo, Tex.

James Gordan Stephenson is an engineer with Westinghouse in Atlanta.

Harold C. Floyd is retired and lives in Fort Thomas, Ky.

NEW ADDRESS: C. Glen Harvey, Annapolis, Md.

'24 Charles H. Winston owns Winston Shell Service Station on the Atlanta Highway in Montgomery.

'25 William J. Long is county engineer in Columbus, Ga.

Newman S. Skinner is manager-partner in Eutaw Drug Co. in Eutaw.

Edward J. Hugensmith is president of Hugensmith Materials, Inc., in Birmingham.

'26 Edward E. McCall is president of Anniston Land Co. and McCall & Co. in Anniston.

Edward D. Ball is editor and publisher of *The Gondolier* in Venice, Fla.

William J. Nettles is a partner in Arthur Andersen & Co. in Gulf Breeze, Fla.

Rufus H. Elder is chief chemist for the American Cast Iron Pipe Co. in Birmingham.

G. J. Ward of Auburn was honored at the three-day convention of State Farm Insurance Agents in Bal Harbour, Fla.

'27 James B. Davis is a field engineer for the Rural Electrification Administration.

Joseph R. Gillette is executive assistant for Ford Motor Co. in Dearborn, Mich.

W. H. Putnam is division manager of the American Water Works Service in Pittsburgh, Pa.

'28 Oliver W. McCord owns McCord Cabinet and Fixture Co. in Kansas City, Mo.

Robert E. Smith, Jr., is assistant manager of Burton's Bookstore in Auburn.

Max E. Kahn owns Empire Distributors, Inc. in Atlanta.

Thomas L. Mosley and his wife, Margaret, live at their home "Flite Acres" near Wimberley, Tex., since his retirement from the Air Force.

J. J. Pierce of Montgomery is unopposed for seat No. 1 in the State Senate in the May Democratic Primary.

'29 Lewis L. Sellers of Auburn, vocational agriculture supervisor for Southeast Alabama for 29 years, has been selected for the 1966 edition of "Who's Who in American Education."

Edward W. Peake, Jr., is president of Peake-Morris Electric Co. in Pensacola, Fla.

Ludlow B. Hallman, Jr., is the technical director for the Directorate of Avionics Sub-System Engineering at Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio.

Arthur Sanders is executive secretary of Scale Manufacturers Association in Washington, D. C.

G. Howard Smith is general manager of West Point-Pepperell, Inc., in Lindale, Ga.

Mrs. Nelle S. Coulter is president of the Russell County Retired Teachers Association.

Dr. Ralph C. McClung is a dentist in Birmingham.

NEW ADDRESS: John T. McAllister, Davidson, N. C.

'30 Also Vaiden Blankenship is owner-president of A. V. Blankenship Co. in Charlotte, N. C.

John E. Taylor is vice president of Arkansas-Louisiana Gas Co. in Shreveport, La.

Otis W. Allen is technical manager for Asia and the Pacific for International Minerals and Chemical Corp. of Skokie, Ill.

Thomas O. Gaillard has been named head of the Operations Division of the five-state Army Engineer District headquartered at Mobile.



William Keister

Keister '30 Elected To IEEE Fellowship

Newly-elected Fellow in the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers is William Keister '30, director of the Bell Telephone Switching Systems Studies Center. Currently Keister also has responsibility for the Computation Center maintained by Bell Telephone Laboratories at Holmdel, N. J..

Mr. Keister joined the technical staff of Bell Telephone Laboratories in 1930. Before the outbreak of World War II, he conducted special studies on relays and then on dial telephone switching systems. During the war Mr. Keister taught the theory and maintenance of radar equipment to Army and Navy personnel in the Bell Laboratories School for War Training. Following the war he joined the staff of Bell's Communications Development Training Program for graduate engineers. Here, he prepared text materials and taught general switching circuit theory and telephone switching systems.

In 1952, he was named Switching Systems Development Engineer and was engaged in exploratory development of electronic telephone switching systems. Early in 1958, he was named Director of Switching Engineering, directing engineering work on electronic telephone switching systems.

Mr. Keister and two colleagues, A. E. Ritchie and S. H. Washburn are the authors of *The Design of Switching Circuits*, published by D. Van Nostrand Company.

He is married to the former Nancy Cromwell of Montgomery. They have two sons, William, Jr., and Dean, and two daughters, Mary and Nancy.

'31 W. C. Sugg has been elected a director of National Screenprinters, Inc., of Auburn.

John C. Clarke is principal engineer for J. B. Converse & Co. in Montgomery.

James D. Shenesey is a partner in Shenesey & Kay Contractors in Anniston.

Joseph D. Hughes is vice president of T. Mellon & Sons in Pittsburg, Pa.

NEW ADDRESSES: Maj. Gen. George T. Duncan, Third US Army, Ft. McPherson, Ga.; George W. Randall, Salem, Ore.

'32 Albert B. Allen is head of quality control for Coca-Cola Co. in Atlanta.

Floyd Louis Bond is assistant construction superintendent for Alabama Power Co. in Weaver.

Carl M. McConaghy is vice president and secretary-treasurer for J. B. Converse & Co. in Mobile.

Clarence L. Dykes is maintenance superintendent of Velsicol Chemical Corp. in Chattanooga, Tenn.

NEW ADDRESS: Mrs. Elizabeth Smith Shuler, Clemson, S. C.

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In Governor's, Superintendent's Races—

Primary Candidates List Education Platforms

As in past election years, The Alumnews presents the education plank in the platforms of Democratic primary candidates for governor and state superintendent of education. Each candidate was invited to submit his plank. Only editing is by request of the candidate or his agent that we base his statement on a similar Alabama Education Association poll or on other authorized statements. As announced in the March issue we also are running as news items a brief biographical sketch of any alumnus running for other state or legislative office who submitted such a sketch.

Candidates For Governor-Nominee

Carl Elliott



Two facts are well known: First, my primary interest while in Congress was in the field of the formulation, the writing, and the passing of laws to improve education throughout the United States. I was author of the National Defense Education Act and of the act which has helped make bookmobiles possible. In other words, I am an experienced lawmaker in the field of education.

Second, I have said in this campaign

that the improvement of education in our state will be the number one goal of my administration. I expect that the Elliott administration will be known in Alabama history as the Education Administration.

My goal is to give Alabama the best school system in the Southeast. I think this is a realistic goal and one that we can accomplish through diligent effort in the next four years. Toward this goal I shall press—toward the goal of paying Alabama's school teachers in accord with the national average pay; reduce the pupil load of our teachers downward to at least the national average. Alabama will need several thousand new public school classrooms in the next four years and the building of those will be a concrete goal of my administration.

I believe that economic expansion, industrial expansion, and growth of any kind are, in the final analysis, dependent on a sound program of education in our state. Alabama needs more research jobs and one of my goals will be to make Alabama the leader in research in the Southeast. By building the necessary excellence into colleges we will be able to do a greatly increased amount of the nation's research.

Richmond Flowers



Very early I gave education the number one priority in my campaign. Education is essential to employment in a highly technological society—the kind of society that we here in Alabama must strive for. To me little seems more important than the expansion and improve-

ment of the nation's and State's educational facilities.

My total commitment is to seek an increase in school revenues. I am definitely opposed to further exemptions to the sales tax. Not only would I oppose the lowering of assessed valuation on property but I would call for reform of property assessment to make it uniform throughout the State. We must not be satisfied to merely maintain our present level of school revenues. Alabama is woefully behind the rest of the nation in education expenditures. We must make rapid strides forward to even approach the national average.

In a speech in Huntsville in February I recommended several positive steps that we must take: Reduce the pupil-teacher ratio where 25 would be the maximum number of pupils for teachers. Increase average teachers' salaries toward the national average and increase funds for transportation and better service. Also, institute a public kindergarten program.

James E. Folsom

Certainly we cannot expect to develop the natural resources of our State in attracting new business and industry unless we are able to provide the number one ingredient for such development, good solid youngsters, properly educated, to man and staff these plants and business ventures. As Governor of the State

of Alabama, the upgrading of our educational facilities, both facility and faculty wise, will be foremost in my administration.

I have not in the past, nor will I in the future, be a party to a program of extending exemptions or lowering assessed valuations to any particular group when that program affects school revenues. I shall always attempt to keep school revenues at a level in which they

can favorably compete with others, and shall urge the legislature to be mindful of the needs of educators in this area of thought.

It is my intention to appoint a committee of qualified educators, legislators, and other responsible citizens to study the public education program, and have them report back to me of their findings. Having studied this report, I intend to put these findings before our lawmakers... I am confident that when we have made the proper studies, the people of this state will voice their firm opinion that education must be improved... and we will be able to develop our greatest natural resource, our children, to the very fullest.



Bob Gilchrist



I believe that the main issues of this campaign are a return to a philosophy of progressive and conservative state government and the establishing of an atmosphere free from discord and violence. If these two goals are accomplished it will enable Alabama to get on with the task of industrial development, improving our schools and roads, providing better facilities for treatment and care of the mentally ill, and improving our welfare system.

Education is the foundation and key to the future of Alabama. My record of 12

years in the state legislature attests to complete dedication and support, to the development of excellence in our educational system from the elementary schools through graduate schools. I pledge my best efforts to achieve excellence in every level of education in our state.

I will actively oppose attempts to reduce school revenues in any way and will actively support measures to maintain school revenues at a level that would enable Alabama to compete favorably with other parts of the nation.

I will support an immediate increase in teachers' pay of at least \$1,000 annually and an immediate increased appropriation for materials and equipment. I will actively promote a continuous effort to attain the national average in teachers salaries, per pupil expenditure and teacher-pupil ratio in elementary, secondary, vocational-technical schools, junior colleges, and colleges and universities.

We must take advantage of the God-given natural resources of Alabama to provide more jobs at better wages. We can and must provide a more abundant life for all our citizens. Only then can Alabama begin to realize its full potential and make the progress we are entitled to.

Eunice Gore



I want to make Alabama's education system as good as or better than any

in the country. I will work to this end with the state superintendent of education and with other school officials.

I will try to build as many new schools as possible to relieve overcrowding. I believe we can build more rooms if we will not try to build palaces of stone and glass.

Without going backwards it seems to me that more emphasis should be placed on fundamentals.

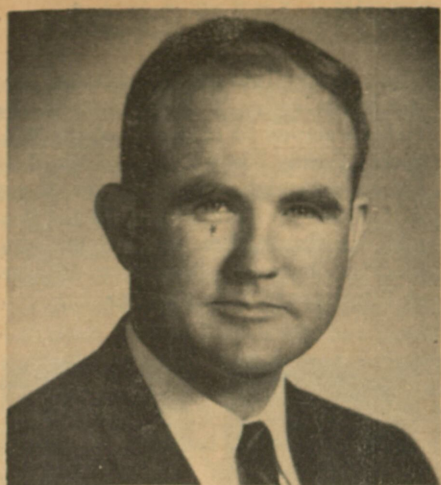
There is a great deal of talk about teachers' pay and I would certainly study the pay levels. I think we need to give more attention to the kind of performance our teachers are making. If all of our teachers put their shoulders to the wheel and help raise our educational standards, I'm in favor of salary raises in line with the national average in order to keep such caliber teachers in our system.

John Patterson

The first and most important plank on my platform for Alabama is devoted to Education. The future of our state rests with our young people. We must afford

them every opportunity to attain the greatness they deserve.

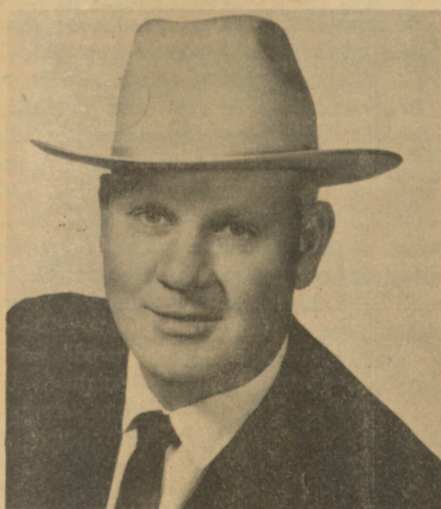
I will make the necessary funds available to improve and expand our entire school system, and that includes elementary schools, high schools, trade



schools, junior colleges, colleges, universities—yes, and educational TV, in which Alabama is a leader in the nation.

I intend to raise teachers' salaries above the national average, to reduce the pupil-teacher ratio to 25 to 1 or lower; to provide additional librarians and guidance personnel, and get more pay for

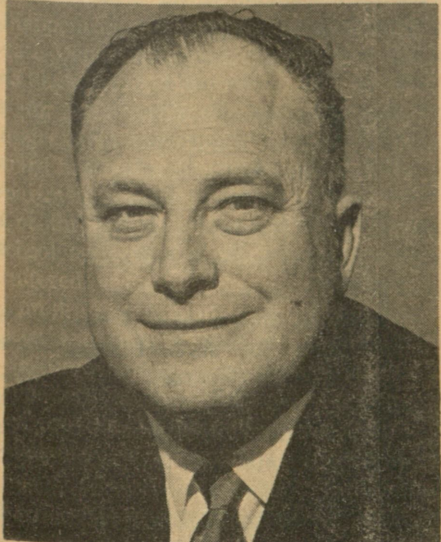
Sherman Powell



As Governor, the improvement of education will be my number one priority. You can rest assured that I will work vigorously to move our state out of being a low state in per capita personal income by stopping the waste in human resources by greatly advancing education. We must provide an educational system that will be conducive to business and industrial growth development and expansion.

I will actively oppose any attempts to reduce school revenues. Great progress has been made in public education in Alabama in recent years. We must continue to improve and expand our entire educational system. In order to do this, we must maintain school revenues at a level that will enable Alabama to compete favorably with other parts of

A. W. Todd



The very heartbeat of our nation and state is our children—they are the door to the future, and education is the key

school employees. And we will proceed with a major building program.

This is not idle talk. I am able to speak from the record established during my first administration as Governor of Alabama.

It was during those four years that we aided Auburn University in inaugurating studies in the uses of nuclear energy. I want to see that work go forward and expand, as well as branch out into other fields of modern science and engineering.

We can raise teachers' salaries. During my previous administration, I called the first special session of the legislature devoted entirely to education. We increased teachers' salaries then by 15 percent and we put through the first bond issue for school building construction. Through this, 688 different building projects were authorized. We plan to pick up where we left off and lift education in Alabama to the greatest heights in history.

the nation.

All public tax funds voted by citizens of Alabama and/or by the Legislature of Alabama for educational purposes should be distributed exclusively to public education. No public school funds should be allocated to a particular school system or agency at the expense of the remainder of public education.

My program will give financial aid to public county schools for music and band instruction and we pledge to the people of Alabama that during our administration the fine arts will be included in our educational program.

Education in Alabama is a state function, but the actual administration of the program should be left as much as possible to local boards of education. Local control of education is necessary if the various needs of different areas of the state are to be met. I will resist efforts to strip local boards of their responsibilities. I will keep our educational program in the hands of skilled and dedicated people in the educational field and divorce it from politics.

If elected Governor, I will promote a continued effort to improve Alabama's public education program until we reach at least the national average in per pupil expenditure and the national average in salaries for all public school personnel. At the same time, I will see to it that our pupil-teacher ratio is reduced, thereby allowing our children to take advantage of the opportunities that have been missing due to overcrowded classrooms.

that will unlock that door. I certainly agree that education is our number one problem—the schooling of our children now and in the future. I will work with the Alabama Legislature on legislation for a long range program that will serve the future needs of education.

I will oppose the exemption of sales taxes if it takes any funds away from our schools. However, I do favor the exemption of taxes on foods and medicines and believe that our future economy will allow this to be done and not reduce school revenues or hamper the efficient operation of state business. I will actively oppose the lowering of property valuations of all private utilities.

In summary, we must develop a long range plan for education. I will do everything in my power to see that our children have the very best possible education to be able to compete for the increasingly complex occupations that will be coming to our communities.

Mrs. George Wallace



Every four years there is a great deal of talk by candidates seeking public office about the need to improve Alabama's primary and secondary educational system and its University program. During the present administration this talk has been translated into action.

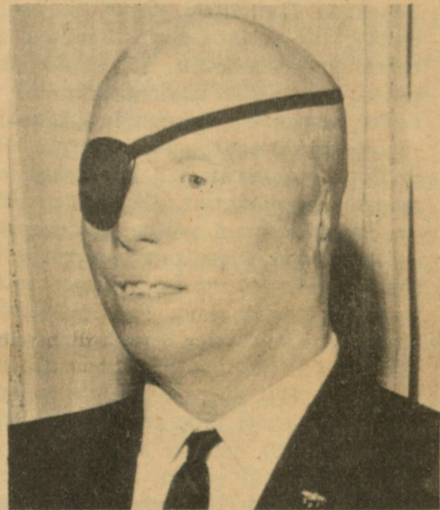
The major problem facing education has been lack of necessary funds. The Wallace Administration recognized the problem and took action to solve it. For the first time in many years there is a large surplus in the Educational Trust

Fund. Great progress has been made during the past three years and under my administration this progress shall continue until Alabama's educational system is equal to the systems which are considered the finest in the United States.

During the Wallace Administration the total annual appropriations for Auburn University has been increased from \$8,079,222 to \$11,999,762, an increase of approximately four million dollars a year. The same proportionate increase has been provided for other State Universities and colleges and an extensive Junior College and Trade School program has been initiated. Free textbooks have been provided for all twelve grades in our primary systems and teachers' salaries have been increased on all levels.

We can solve Alabama's educational problems by defining the goals to be achieved and taking the necessary steps to reach these goals. With the good foundation, which was started and strengthened during the Wallace Administration, to build on, during the next four years we shall make great progress in reaching my major goal of making Alabama a forerunner in its overall educational program.

Charles Wood



I will give education number one priority in my campaign and in my program if elected Governor of Alabama.

I want to increase school revenues but

do think our tax structure needs revising. I would actively support measures to maintain school revenues at a level that will enable Alabama to compete favorably with other parts of the nation. The working man of Alabama is taxed to death. Every effort should be made to correct this. The Alabama sales tax on groceries and medicines should be abolished. No one who earns less than \$10,000 per year should pay any state income tax.

We should have state assisted college tuition for Alabama residents who need it. Now three out of every four Alabama high school graduates do not go to college.

I will actively promote a continued effort to improve Alabama's public education program until we reach at least the national average in salaries for public school personnel in elementary, secondary, vocational-technical schools, and institutions of higher learning.

For Superintendent Of Education

Donald Horne



As a three-time graduate of the State's finest institution (Auburn '59, '61, and '64), I am pleased to have the opportunity to express my personal and professional views concerning education in our State.

I want to mention several issues which I consider to be of paramount importance in the 1966 race for State Superintendent of Education, but first, to put my concern in its proper perspective let's go back to the year 1935 when Alabama's

Minimum Program Law was passed by the State Legislature. I am told, in 1935, Alabama had a model State Department of Education. Today, I seriously doubt that anyone would consider the present Department of Education to be a model, at least not a model of efficiency.

I suppose no one can say for sure exactly what has happened, or failed to happen, in the State Department of Education since 1935, but one of the most obvious reasons for deterioration, or lack of proper progress, in my opinion, is that the Old Guard has had a strangle hold on the Department of Education for the past two or three decades, and I believe that school systems all over Alabama have suffered, creativity has been stifled, and progress has been too slow in comparison with other states. In my opinion, the time has come for a change in the pattern of leadership which has impeded progress in the public schools of Alabama for so many years.

Every candidate for governor of Alabama wins or loses votes according to his stand on education. Most people are concerned about which governor would do more for education. Yet, relatively

CANDIDATES—continued

little attention is given to the race for State Superintendent, and as a result, we do not get the best qualified people in this important office. Take the present race, for example. Have you wondered about the superintendent of Birmingham, Mobile, or Huntsville? Why don't we have superintendents of Alabama's large cities running for the office of State Superintendent?

Until I announced a few weeks ago, there was not a single candidate in the race with an earned doctor of education degree. Why? I believe that the reason is because of the stagnant situation which has existed in Alabama's Department of Education. Of all the departments of our State government, the Department of Education should be the most efficient and the best staffed. We should have the best trained educators available, in the Department of Education. But under the present situation, I am sure that we have to settle for less than the best in many cases. Our best people cannot afford to work in the State Department of Education. Our best superintendents cannot afford to step up to the State's top education position, and we find people running for the State Superintendency who view the office as either: (1) the next step toward retirement, or (2) the next step toward a college presidency. Alabama should have as its State Superintendent the best qualified person available. Yet, since the beginning of public education in our State, I do not believe that we have ever been fortunate enough to secure the State's best qualified educator as State Superintendent. Alabama's most successful and progressive superintendents simply cannot afford to move up (or down, depending upon your point of view) to the State's top position in education.

One wonders what effect this situation has had on public education in Alabama. The statistics on this question are rather appalling. We find, for example, that Alabama is spending less than \$300 per pupil on the basis of average daily attendance, while the national average is over \$500 per pupil. We find that the average teacher salary in Alabama is only \$5150, while the national average is over \$6500. We find that only four out

of every ten adults in Alabama have a high school education. We find that over ninety percent of our elementary schools have no centralized library. We find that the State does not put any money into programs for gifted children. We find that over eighty percent of Alabama's retarded children sit in regular school classes. We find that over ninety-nine percent of the elementary school children in Alabama attend schools that are not accredited. And in 1964, we found that forty-one percent of the 20,000 Alabamians examined for induction into the Armed Forces were rejected because they lacked the education to pass the mental examination.

Someone, someday, must take a stand, break the strangle that the Old Guard has on Alabama education, and create a better image of education in our state. Toward this end, I am campaigning in every county and presenting to the people of Alabama a positive, far-reaching 21-point platform.

Space limitations prevent elaboration on my platform, which appeared in the March issue of the *Alabama School Journal*, but let me briefly list a few things which must be accomplished during the administration of the next State Superintendent: (1) special classes for the retarded, (2) accreditation of schools, (3) driver training in high school, (4) an Education Committee of 100 in each county, (5) an Advisory Committee of School Superintendents, (6) classes for gifted, (7) public kindergarten, (8) a better image of education in Alabama, (9) vocational education, (10) evaluation of Dept. of Education, (11) classes for emotionally disturbed, (12) teacher salary for six years of college, (13) recruitment of bright students into teaching profession, (14) reduce pupil-teacher ratio to 25 pupils per class, (15) strengthen Alabama's Minimum School Program, (16) bring school materials and methods up-to-date, (17) strengthen junior college and trade school program, (18) reduce drop-outs, (19) develop state-wide physical fitness, (20) appoint the State Superintendent, and (21) explore all sources of funds to improve education for 800,000 boys and girls in Alabama schools.

Alabama and has the Doctor of Laws degree from Howard College.

Dr. Stone was selected to study the effects of Marshall Aid in Europe in 1950; he served as a member of the Lackey-Edwards Committee on School Finance in 1958; in 1960 he represented Alabama in exploring education needs for the scientific future.

Dr. Stone is a navy veteran of World War II, and a member of all the veteran organizations in the state except those for the disabled. He is a Mason and a Shriner, and a Deacon in the Baptist Church. He served as teacher, principal and superintendent of the DeKalb County Schools before coming to Jacksonville. He is a director in the Fort Payne Bank, Fort Payne, Alabama.

PLATFORM

Ernest Stone will forcefully promote quality education in Alabama, including a strong program of teaching Americanism and moral standards; he believes the spirit should be educated along with the mind.

Ernest Stone will diligently work to increase teachers' salaries to the national average; he will work for adequate increases for transportation including salaries for bus drivers, for free textbooks, for other current expenses, and for capital outlay. He believes retiring

Seeking House or Senate Seats

Robert E. Varner '46, Montgomery attorney, is seeking the Republican nomination for the State Senate, Place No. 1, from Montgomery County. He grew up in Tuskegee where he was city attorney after his graduation from Auburn and the University of Alabama Law School. In 1954 he moved to Montgomery, served as assistant U. S. Attorney for four years, and then joined the law firm of Jones, Murry, Stewart and Varner.

James T. Waggoner, Jr., '59 is a candidate for nomination to the State House of Representatives from Jefferson County. He is married to Marilyn Louise Mitchell '60.



Brassell



Radney

Bowen Brassell '49 of Phenix City is a candidate for state representative from the 32nd District, Lee and Russell counties, Place No. 1 in the Democratic Primary. After graduating from Auburn he attended the University of Alabama Law School where he was president of his senior class. During his 14 years of practice in Phenix City, he has been Russell County Juvenile Court Judge for six years. He and his wife, Dorothy, have one son, Bowen, Jr., 8 months.

Tom Radney '52 is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for State senator from the 16th district, representing Elmore, Macon, and Tallapoosa counties. The Alex City attorney is currently city judge and has served as city attorney. Secretary of the Ala-

teachers should be paid for unused sick leave up to the full forty-five days.

Ernest Stone believes every Alabama youth should be equipped with the background to go to college, or trade school, or junior college, and acquire a saleable skill. He will work to eliminate dropouts; he is for a functional program of vocational education, and he thinks educational television is a new dimension in teaching and should be expanded.

Ernest Stone will work with the public and with the legislature to promote a good IMAGE for Alabama Education.

Ernest Stone will work to reduce the teacher-pupil ratio to 25-1, and allot a principal, a librarian, and a counselor for every twenty teachers in both elementary and high schools; he believes we must encourage teacher education beyond the Master's degree by giving necessary salary increases for those teachers with AA certificates.

Ernest Stone will use both his youth and his maturity for a positive program of education in Alabama.

Ernest Stone will work to take advantage of all sources of revenues available for public education in keeping with the school laws of Alabama, and the local control of our schools.

Ernest Stone has made no promises to any persons or special groups, but he promises every fiber of his mind, his ability, and his being to the people of Alabama for a safe and sound program of education.

bama Young Lawyers Association, Mr. Radney is active in local civic affairs and has served as chairman of the Tallapoosa County Heart Fund and March of Dimes campaigns. He is on the Board of Trustees for Carraway Methodist Hospital in Birmingham. He and his wife, Madolyn, have two daughters: Margaret Ellen, 3, and Sara Frances, 1.



Casey



Cook

John S. Casey '53 of Heflin is a candidate for re-election to the House of Representatives from Cleburne County. A native of Heflin, he attended Jacksonville State College and received a BS from Auburn before graduating from the University of Alabama Law School. He was first elected to the House of Representatives in 1958 and re-elected in 1962. He is presently chairman of the House Legislative Council and a member of the Alabama Legislative Cotton Study Committee. A former member of the Southern Regional Education Board, he is active in local civic affairs. He and his wife, Carolyn, have two daughters.

John W. (Doug) Cook '56 of Birmingham is a candidate for the State Legislature, Place No. 16 in the Democratic Primary. Vice president of Eagle Motor Lines, Inc. of Birmingham, Mr. Cook is a graduate of the Birmingham School of Law. He holds the rank of major in the Alabama National Guard and is very active in Birmingham and Jefferson County civic affairs. He and his wife, Patsy, have one daughter, Pamela.



Jones



Melton

Fred R. Jones '60 is seeking the Republican nomination for Place No. 1, Montgomery County, of the State Legislature. Currently administrative assistant in the Governor's Office, he is former assistant director of the State Civil Defense Department. After graduating from Auburn, he attended Jones Law School. Active in Montgomery civic affairs, he is a captain in the Alabama National Guard. He is married and has a daughter.

William D. Melton '64 of Evergreen is a candidate for state representative from Conecuh, Monroe, and Wilcox counties. After receiving his BS from Auburn, Melton earned an LLB from the University of Alabama Law School. Following graduation he was employed by the State Personnel Board and assigned to the Attorney General's Office. He resigned his position to enter the campaign for representative.

Ernest Stone



Ernest Stone has been Director of Laboratory Schools and Superintendent of the Jacksonville City Schools since 1946. He started as a high school principal at an early age in Crossville. He is past president of the Alabama Education Association, and the Alabama Association of Secondary School Principals. He holds the B.S. degree from the Jacksonville State College and the A.B. and M.A. degrees from the University of Alabama. He has studied at Michigan State and Columbia Universities. He has completed most of the course hours for the Doctor's degree at the University of

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'33 Reynold B. Burt is a chemical engineer with the TVA at Muscle Shoals.

J. C. Arant of Warner Robins, Ga., is a partner in The Furniture Mart which is currently in its 15th year of business. Active in community affairs, Arant is presently a member of the board of directors of the Citizens State Bank of Warner Robins. He has numerous ties with Auburn since his daughter, Mrs. Nancy Arant Brown, is a recent graduate; his brother, Dr. Frank S. Arant '26 is head professor of zoology at Auburn; and his sister, Mrs. Hazel Arant Goodman '29 lives in Auburn.

E. M. Farrior is manager of trade promotion for Chemstrand in Hillsboro.

John B. Hotchkiss is chief industrial engineer for Great Lakes Carbon Corp. in Morganton, N. C.

John R. Stowe is technical assistant at the Social Security Administration Payment Center in Birmingham.

Oel Johnson is vice president of manufacturing for the Coca-Cola Export Corp. in New York City.

Sarah H. Wilson is traffic manager in the transportation office at Maxwell AFB, Ala.

Clarence D. Roberts is an engineering aide with Alabama Power Co. in Birmingham.

NEW ADDRESS: John W. Solomon, Jr., Sarasota, Fla.; Cassius M. Stanley, Jr., Guttenberg, N. J.

'34 John R. Montgomery is assistant superintendent of the Mobile County Schools.

J. D. Brown, mayor of Ozark, has been nominated to the national Board of Trustees of the Association of the U. S. Army.

George W. Williams is president of the Sheffield Federal Savings and Loan Association in Sheffield.

James G. Phillips is an urban planner for the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development in Atlanta.

Aubrey N. Aldredge, Jr., is director of training for Gulf Power Co. in Pensacola, Fla.

Ezra B. Perry, Sr., is a pediatrician in Birmingham.

Col. Kenneth G. Taylor is chief of the Military Personnel Division of the Presidio of San Francisco, Calif.

W. F. James is chief engineer with USCO Power Equipment Corp. in Birmingham.

Marion P. Talley, Sr. is a sales representative for the Ruberoid Co. in Atlanta.

NEW ADDRESS: Col. James A. Benford, Magnolia Springs.

'35 Dr. C. Cayce Scarborough of Raleigh, N. C., spoke to Alabama vocational agriculture teachers during A. E. A. He is professor of agricultural education at North Carolina State University.

Arthur J. Mueller is group leader of research for the Mead, Johnson & Co. in Evansville, Ind.

Albin G. Pass is veterinarian-in-charge for the USDA Animal Health Division of the Agricultural Research Service in Baton Rouge, La.

William Bonna Capps and his wife Nell Frances Capps live in Auburn where he is president of Camco Vending Corp.

'36 John L. Hall, Jr., is supervising senior accountant for U. S. Steel Corp. in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dr. G. B. Hughey, formerly director of products research at chemstrand Research Center, Inc., in Durham, N. C., has been appointed technical director for acrilan acrylic fiber and spandex. He will work at the headquarters of Chemstrand in New York City.

C. D. King is general manager of Hill Chevrolet Co., Inc., in Huntsville.

Boardman N. Ivey is community services officer for the Farmers Home Administration in Montgomery.

'37 Louis V. Busenlener is president of Industries Sales Corp. in New Orleans.

NEW ADDRESS: W. Eugene Roy, Shalimar, Fla.

'38 John Carter Land owns Jack C. Land Farm at Montgomery.

Dr. Everett Beck Barnes, M. D., has a private practice in Cullman.

Allison D. Holmes, Jr., is president of Valley View Milling Co. in Gallion.

Jackson A. Carr is manager-partner of Tallassee Motor Co. in Tallassee.

'39 James W. Hodges is vice president and manager of Durr Surgical Supply Division of Durr Drug Co. in Birmingham.

Capt. John J. Love, USN, is presently the commanding officer of the attack transport U.S.S. NAVARRO (APA 215) deployed to the Western Pacific with home port of Long Beach, Calif. In October he received the Vietnam Service Medal. Capt. Love and his wife, Beth, have three children: Sandra, 18; Susan, 17; and John, III, 11.

Dr. Arthur W. Cooper of Auburn has been named a Fellow of the American Society of Agricultural Engineers. He is director of the National Tillage Machinery Laboratory of the USDA located on the Auburn campus.

Theron F. Karge is civilian engineer with the U. S. Army in Heidelberg, Germany.

Paul K. McKenney, Jr., is president and treasurer of Repco, Inc., of Orlando, Fla.

William B. Ott, Jr., is section manager of state and local taxes for The Coca-Cola Co. in Atlanta.

Dr. Ben Hagler of Auburn University Extension Service has received the 1966 Golden Pecan Honor Award given by the National Pecan Shellers and Processors Association for his work in improving the production and marketing of pecans.

NEW ADDRESSES: Melvin C. Patty, Homewood; James G. Brown, Boynton Beach, Fla.

James W. Lester is secretary of Spence & Lester, Inc., and president of Spence, Lester & Crumpton, Inc. in Winston-Salem, N. C.

Shelvin R. Spearman is postmaster at Cedar Bluff.

'40 Robert E. Heathcote is a partner of Heathcote Hosiery Co. in New York.

Sidney L. Griffin is superintendent of the Daleville City Schools.

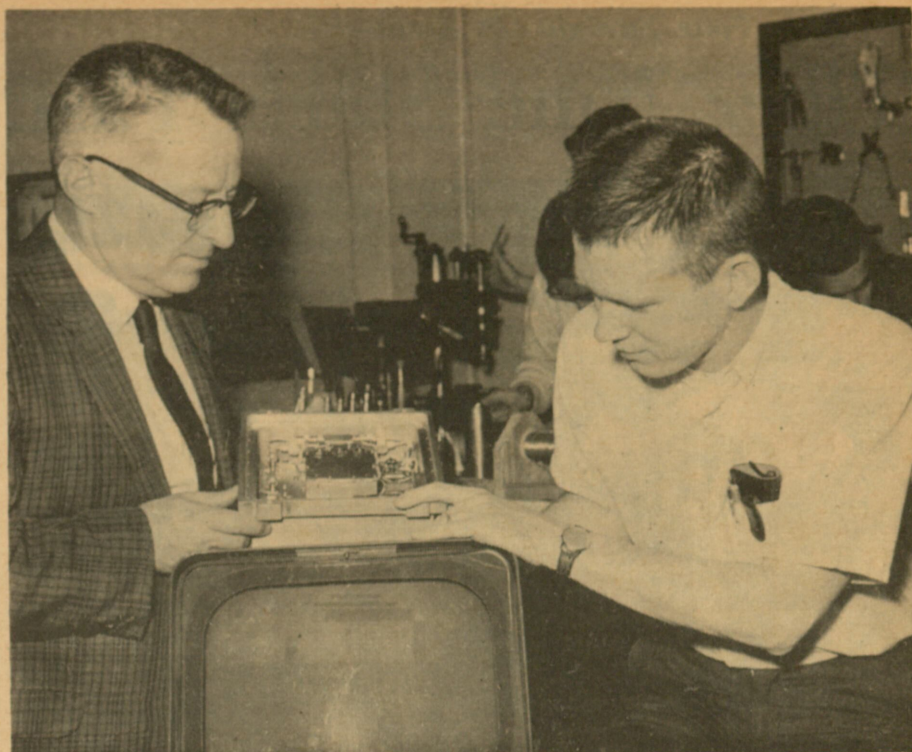
Turner Murphy is president of Turner Murphy Co. in North Augusta, S. C.

Harry M. Burns is vice president of manufacturing for Stockham Valves and Fittings in Birmingham.

George S. Knopf is with The Sheffield Corp., a division of the Bendix Corp., in Dayton, Ohio.

John C. Godbold, Montgomery attorney, has been recommended to a federal judgeship of the 5th Circuit Court of Appeals by Alabama Senators Sparkman and Hill.

Roger C. Hamel, Jr., head of Victoria Bank & Trust Co. oil and gas department, was named "Engineer of the Year" by the Victoria Chapter of the Texas Society of Professional Engineers. He is also vice president of the Society of Petroleum Evaluation Engineers.



AUBURN LINK WITH SPACE—Dr. M. A. Honnell, Auburn professor of electrical engineering, and W. E. Faust, electrical engineering graduate student, test the latest model of a space TV transmitter developed on the Auburn campus under contract with NASA. Auburn transmitters are expected to be on at least four of the vehicles in the next scheduled Saturn series.

For Use On Saturn Flights—

Auburn Improves Space Transmitter

Building on earlier success in the development of television transmitters for use aboard space vehicles, Auburn engineers are putting the finishing touches on a new model expected to be put to actual test in the near future.

The new transmitter being developed under Prof. M. A. Honnell in the Department of Electrical Engineering is an outgrowth of research contracts with the National Aeronautics and Space Administration at Marshall Space Flight Center through the Auburn Research Foundation, administering agency for the University.

Auburn has received several contracts in recent years for research and

development of space TV transmitters. Among several models designed here were two which rode aboard Saturn vehicles, relaying to television audiences their dramatic approaches to space.

Currently under development is a much refined version of earlier transmitters designed and perfected at Auburn. The new model, a solid state device which eliminates all vacuum tubes, is built to withstand severe vibration. The new transmitter also contains its own power source. Contracts for the transmitters are an important part of the sponsored research in electrical engineering which had been developed largely by the late Professor Henry M. Summer, who died April 2 in Huntsville of a heart attack.

It is anticipated that as many as four of the test vehicles in the next Saturn series will utilize the Auburn transmitters. These tests are expected to take place in the near future.

On one vehicle, two of the new solid state transmitters will be utilized. In addition to these two, work is under way to develop a new version of the solid state transmitter for future space application.

W. E. Faust, a doctoral candidate, and a team of graduate students in electrical engineering are assisting in developing the transmitters. According to Professor Honnell, there has been, and will continue to be, a number of master's theses and doctoral dissertations resulting from this continuing research in support of industry and government.

by the Methodist Churches of the Auburn-Opelika Area.

NEW ADDRESSES: William T. Kennedy, Eclectic; Irvin T. Quinn, Jr., Smyrna, Ga.

'43 Joe C. Jones became Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Research and Development in January. In April 1965, Mr. Jones received the Air Force's highest civilian

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Winning Four Straight At Home—

Tiger Nine Starts Fast, Loses Lead In Florida



HOMER FOR SCOTTY—Scotty Long, shortstop, gets a welcome from Coach Paul Nix (26) after his seventh-inning homer in Auburn's first game with Florida. Joining in congratulations are Second Baseman Pete McKenzie, second from right, and Pitcher Bob Coleman, extreme right. Long was hitting .321 at mid-April.

The baseball team jumped off to a quick 4-0 start in defense of its Eastern Division title, but dropped a pair of tilts to Florida, split with Georgia, and is now in second place with a 5-3 record. Tennessee is 6-0 in SEC and the Tigers must face the Vols on the road.

Auburn opened the season with two SEC victories over Vanderbilt, then whipped Florida twice in Auburn. The two Gator losses came in Gainesville.

The Tigers have played outstanding baseball against a tough independent schedule. Coach Paul Nix's crew has defeated FSU twice, Miami twice, and Wake Forest in non-SEC action and Mississippi State in a non-division game.

Overall the Tigers have a 11-6 record. The other three losses were to FSU, Mississippi State and Ole Miss.

Frank Fryer, senior left fielder from Brundidge, is the team's leading hitter with a .452 average for 15 games. He has driven in 16 runs on five doubles, one triple, and a home run.

All-SEC second baseman Pete McKenzie has hit safely in the last seven games and raised his average to .333, after going 0-9 the first two games.

Q. V. Lowe, who transferred to Auburn from Gulf Coast Junior College, has compiled a 5-1 pitching record and has four complete games in six starts. He has given up only 29 hits in 48 innings while walking only 13 and striking out 40.

Dropping the first game in Athens, 4-3, Auburn won Saturday's game 5-2 on Right Fielder Roger Boozer's lusty hitting. The win kept faint hopes alive for Auburn to overcome division-leading Tennessee. Auburn meets the Vols there and must also get help from Florida or Georgia. Lowe helped his cause with a homer but Boozer drove in the go-ahead runs as part of a 3-for-5 day.

Jordan Fills Staff; Adds Jones, Mitchell

Two highly successful high school coaches were named coaches of freshman football as Head Coach Ralph Jordan completed the filling of vacancies on his staff. Coach John T. (Tom) Jones of Robert E. Lee High of Montgomery is new head freshman coach. Working with him will be Sam Mitchell, head coach at Columbus (Georgia) High School.

Jones, native of Tallassee, played football and baseball at Troy State and later earned his M.S. in mathematics at Auburn. He coached Hayneville High to a 46-16-8 record before going to Robert E. Lee in 1955 when that school began football. Lee teams have a 93-12-5 record under Jones, winning five state championships in 11 seasons.

Jones is married to the former Evelyn Dorman of Reeltown. They have three daughters and a son.

Mitchell, who lettered as a defensive halfback in his senior year in 1961, was an All-State halfback at Florence who was consistently kept from much varsity action by a series of injuries. He went to Columbus after graduation and became head coach when Jim Pyburn joined the Georgia staff in 1964. Mitchell guided Columbus to a 9-1 season and the state playoffs.

He is married to the former Lana Yother of Gadsden, a majorette during her coed days at Auburn. They have one son, Mark, 2.

Christopher Sets New Records

With Tom Christopher breaking some of the oldest records in the book, Auburn's track team has compiled a 2-0 dual meet record.

The Tigers upset highly regarded FSU in Tallahassee, Fla., by a 76-69 score. Christopher high jumped 6-6½ to break Lloyd Richey's mark of 6-6½ that had stood since 1933.

Christopher added another record by pole vaulting 15-6¾ against the Seminoles to become the highest vaulter in SEC history.

The Tigers coasted to an easy victory over Georgia and Christopher got 15-1 in the pole vault and 6-5 in the high jump.

Before the FSU meet, Christopher had never high jumped more than 6-2.

SHUG'S LETTER

Dear Alumni:

I am writing just prior to the fourth day of our spring practice. It is real surprising to me that so much has been accomplished in only three days. The assistant coaches have done a tremendous job of organizing and our group work has been running better than in many years. Cooperation and team work on the part of the coaches has been the essence of our planning and work up to this date.

For fifteen years I have very carefully stayed away from using the term "re-building"; however, now, perhaps, is the time to use the word. Our squad is compiled of 12 seniors, 31 juniors, and 41 sophomores.



Jordan

ord of not having a losing season since 1952.

The coaching staff and the squad are real serious about this spring practice and teaching, learning, and hard work is the order of the day. I am not entirely pessimistic about this group of boys because the lack of a few things here and there could be more than made up by dedication and

hard work. Individuals or names are not necessary at this particular time; however, I will be in touch with you all in the near future.

We have two new coaches on the job—Bill Oliver working with the defensive secondary and Tom Jones who, in spite of his responsibilities in Montgomery, is driving up each day to be here for practice. Sam Mitchell of Columbus High School will not be with us until June 1. We are real proud of these new coaches and they will very definitely make a contribution to Auburn football.

"A" Day is on May 14 and it would be a great help to this young squad for all of you people to come down and urge them on and indicate that you are behind them in every way.

Sincerely,
Shug

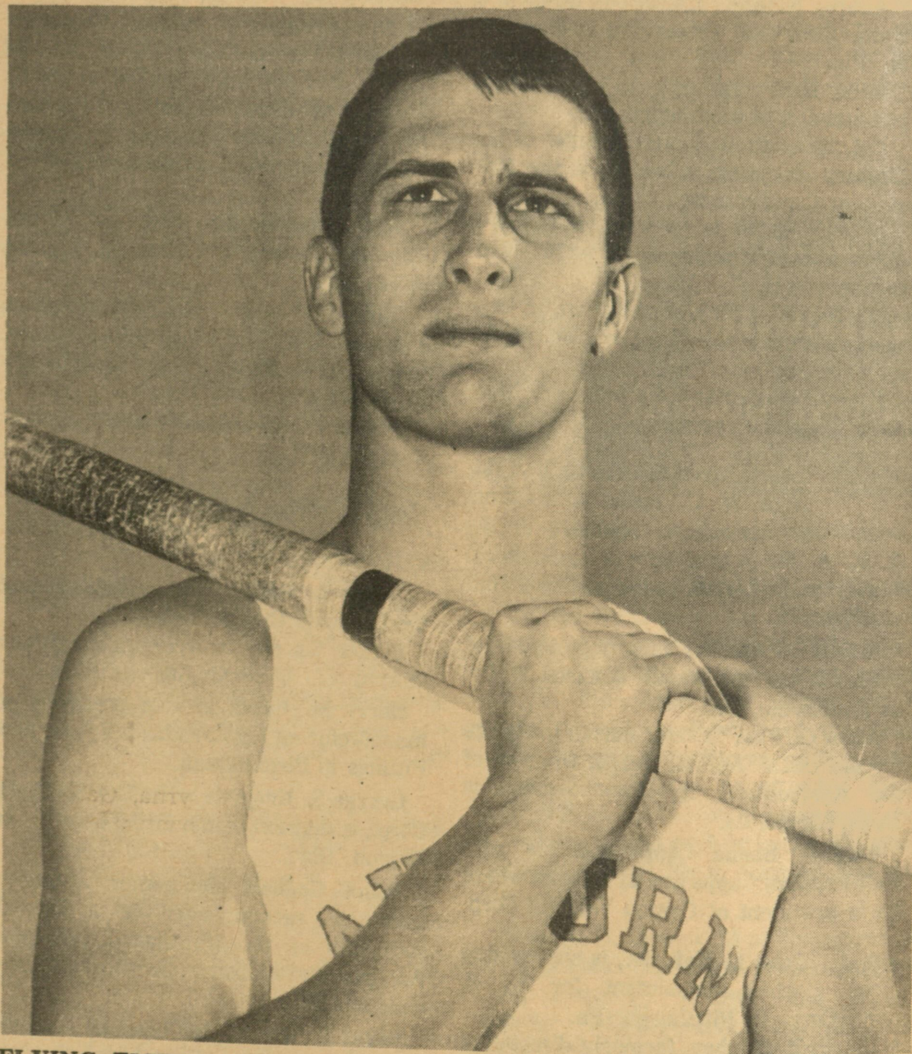
Golfers 7-1 For Season

Auburn's golf team, paced by Randy McGee and Tom Flint, have pulled some big upsets and now have a 7-1 record.

McGee fired an impressive one-over-par 73 on the tough Indian Hill course in Tuscaloosa and led Auburn to a one point victory over Alabama and a decisive win over Tulane.

The Tigers, enjoying the taste of victory after that upset, defeated both Georgia and Alabama by 10-8 scores at Auburn. Flint played against Tommy Barnes, Jr., who had played in the Masters in Augusta, Ga., the previous week end, and whipped him.

Other golf team victories have been over Huntingdon, Chattanooga and Wofford. The only loss this spring quarter was to FSU.



FLYING TIGER—Auburn's Tom Christopher from Tuscumbia has earned the nickname of "Flying Tiger" in his pole vaulting attempts. Tom, who has been breaking records since high school, broke the former SEC record by setting a new one of 15'6¾". Now in sixth place among the nation's pole vaulters, Tom was voted the most outstanding performer at the SEC indoor meet held in Montgomery. In addition to his pole vaulting honors, Tom took second place in high jumping with 6'2". His record jump is 6'5".

Intensive Search Underway For Linebackers, Ends

BUDDY DAVIDSON '64

Sports Editor

"We know where some of the veterans will fit in best so we're going to let them concentrate on their specialties from the first, but everybody else is going to play both ways," says head coach Ralph Jordan.

Starting his 16th spring practice at Auburn, Jordan has already made a few position changes, but indicated that, "everything is subject to change after the first day. We're going to look at almost everybody in more than one position and find out who will best fit into our plans for the fall.

"We'll be looking at a lot of people at linebacker and defensive end because we were hit hard there by graduation."

In an effort to bolster the linebacking corps from the beginning, Jordan has moved letterman wingback Jim Bouchillon and fullback Harrison McCraw to linebacker. Jim Bailey, a reserve defensive back last year, has also been moved to linebacker.

Defensive lettermen Jimmy Carter (sideback), Robert Fulghum (sideback), Marvin Tucker (end), Robert Miller (end), Charles Collins (tackle), Richard Wood (tackle) and Robert Margeson (linebacker) will all stay with the defensive unit.

However, safetyman Bobby Beaird, sideback Bucky Ayres, and linebacker Don McCay will also get a shot at offense. Beaird will be tried at tailback, Ayers at quarterback, and McCay at fullback.

Offensive lettermen Richard Plagge (tailback), Carl Hardy (tailback), Freddie Hyatt (end), Andy Gross (tackle), Bill Braswell (tackle), Mike Davis (guard), Forrest Blue (center), Tom Bryan (fullback), and Mike Perillard (fullback) will stay at their respective positions.

John Cochran Wins

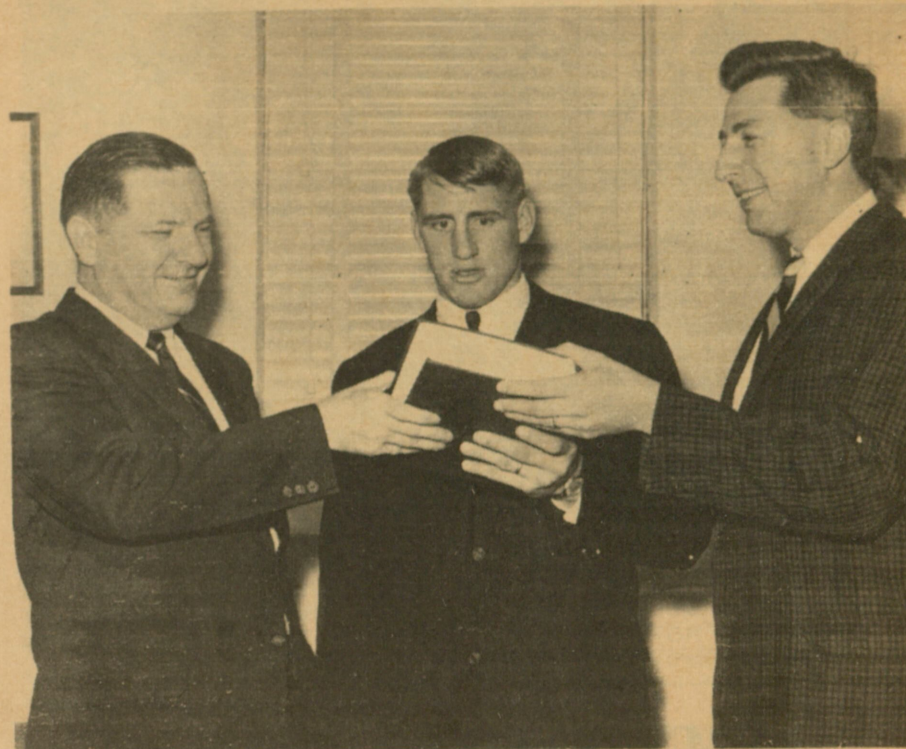
'66 Allison Award

Scholar-athlete John Cochran has won the Allison Award presented annually to the outstanding student in general physics at Auburn University.

Cochran, a senior in aerospace engineering, placed first in achievement in physics and in overall academic performance in a group of nearly 1,000 engineering, chemistry, physics and mathematics majors for the award.

Cochran received the Allison Award, consisting of a scroll, a permanent record on a wall tablet on display in the physics department, and a copy of the "Handbook of Physics and Chemistry", from Dr. Howard E. Carr, head of the department, and Dr. Paul P. Budenstein, faculty advisor to the physics honor society, Sigma Pi Sigma.

A consistent honor student throughout his undergraduate studies at Auburn, the Crossville gridiron linebacker has earned several awards for scholarship. He was one of eight college football stars nationally to receive the National Football Foundation and Hall of Fame Scholar-Athlete Award for 1965. The award carries a \$500 graduate fellowship from the Earl (Red) Blaik syndicated football series. He also was winner of a \$1,000 NCAA post-graduate fellowship.



BRAINS AND BRAWN—John Cochran of Crossville, Auburn star on the football field and in the classroom, accepts the Allison Award for achievement in physics and overall academic performance from Dr. Howard Carr, left, head professor of physics, and Dr. Paul Budenstein, associate research professor of physics, right. John's latest honor has been his election as one of ten engineering students in the nation to receive a \$2,500 Tau Beta Pi Scholarship for graduate study, which is his third graduate scholarship.

Auburn Spring Football Roster

ENDS	Hgt.	Wgt.	Age	Class	Hometown
Johnny Adcock*	6-0	201	21	Jr.	Tampa, Fla.
Hubert Comer*	6-1	210	21	Jr.	Ft. Walton, Fla.
Al Griffin	6-2	220	18	So.	Gainesville, Fla.
Tommy Groat	6-2	208	19	So.	Ft. Payne, Ala.
Freddie Hyatt (O)	6-3	203	19	So.	Sylacauga, Ala.
Bill James	6-1	195	19	So.	Jasper, Ala.
Scotty Long**	6-3	212	22	Sr.	Lawton, Okla.
Tommy Lunceford	6-2	202	19	Jr.	Montgomery, Ala.
Bruce McAfee	6-3	210	19	Jr.	Altoona, Ala.
Robert Miller (D)	6-2	210	20	Sr.	Cedartown, Ga.
Mike Morris	6-2	218	21	So.	Bessemer, Ala.
Don Randolph	6-3	215	18	So.	Gordo, Ala.
Scott Stewart	6-4	208	19	So.	Chattanooga, Tenn.
Marvin Tucker (D)	5-9	202	19	Jr.	Linden, Ala.
Don Matthews	6-3	195	19	So.	Birmingham, Ala.
LINEMEN					
Jimmy Ashcraft	6-0	211	19	So.	Hueytown, Ala.
Terry Barr*	5-10	215	19	So.	Linden, Ala.
Ed Beers	6-2	210	19	So.	Findley, Ohio
Forrest Blue (O)	6-4	241	20	Jr.	Tampa, Fla.
Bill Braswell (O)	6-3	232	21	Sr.	Birmingham, Ala.
Rick Bullard	6-0	224	19	So.	Sylacauga, Ala.
Ray Chadwick	6-1	214	19	So.	Valley Head, Ala.
Charles Collins (D)	6-1	220	20	Jr.	Smyrna, Ga.
Andy Cyganiewicz	6-2	206	20	So.	Albany, Ga.
Mike Davis (O)	5-11	206	20	Sr.	Mobile, Ala.
Ray Duncan	5-11	213	19	So.	Columbus, Ga.
Joe Elam	6-6	224	19	So.	Brent, Ala.
Charlie Glenn (O)	6-2	234	20	Jr.	Chattanooga, Tenn.
Jerry Gordon	6-5	224	18	So.	Chattanooga, Tenn.
Andy Gross (O)	6-1	230	19	Sr.	Elizabeth, N. J.
Larry Hagan	6-4	226	19	So.	Bradley, Fla.
Hinton Hall	6-2	212	19	So.	Opp, Ala.
Bucky Howard	6-2	215	19	So.	Birmingham, Ala.
Larry Jeffers	5-11	216	21	Sr.	Florence, Ala.
Ken Jones	6-3	215	20	Jr.	Hueytown, Ala.
Tim Lyle	5-11	195	18	So.	Chattanooga, Tenn.
Ben McDavid**	6-0	201	20	Sr.	Montgomery, Ala.
George McKenney	6-2	210	20	Jr.	Atlanta, Ga.

Robert Margeson (D)	6-0	202	19	Jr.	Albany, Ga.
Flynn Morris	6-2	215	20	Jr.	Geneva, Ala.
Dean Patterson	6-2	202	18	So.	Pensacola, Fla.
Dick Pittman	6-2	220	19	So.	Dothan, Ala.
Charles Rizzo	6-1	217	21	Jr.	Daytona Beach, Fla.
Greg Robert	6-3	215	18	So.	Columbus, Miss.
John Robinson	5-11	200	21	Jr.	Deshler, Ala.
Preston Robinson	6-0	218	20	So.	Talladega, Ala.
Pat Stewart	6-0	205	20	So.	Chattanooga, Tenn.
Doug Suell	6-2	220	19	Jr.	Birmingham, Ala.
Roy Tatum	6-3	223	20	Jr.	Flomaton, Ala.
Joe Varner	6-3	222	19	So.	Soddy, Tenn.
Richard Wood (D)	6-1	216	20	Jr.	Glencoe, Ala.
Ron Yarbrough	6-1	222	19	So.	Columbus, Ga.
Gusty Yearout	5-11	202	20	Jr.	Birmingham, Ala.

QUARTERBACKS

Bucky Ayers	6-0	172	20	Jr.	Cedartown, Ga.
Larry Blakeney	5-11	190	18	So.	Gordo, Ala.
Dwight Brisendine	6-2	190	18	So.	Ft. Payne, Ala.
Joe Campbell	6-1	200	21	Sr.	Pascagoula, Miss.
Loran Carter (O)	6-2	195	19	So.	Dalton, Ga.
Tim Christian (O)	6-2	190	18	So.	Covington, Ga.
Sam Nader (O)	6-0	198	20	Jr.	Shreveport, La.

BACKS

Jim Bailey (D)	6-0	197	20	Jr.	Hughes, Ark.
Bobby Beaird	6-0	192	21	Sr.	Auburn, Ala.
Mack Bell	5-11	184	21	Jr.	Tallassee, Ala.
Jim Bouchillon (D)	6-2	202	21	Jr.	Cedar Bluff, Ala.
Terry Brennan	6-1	195	19	So.	Homestead, Fla.
Tom Bryan (O)	6-0	202	21	Sr.	Hartford, Ala.
Jimmy Carter (D)	6-2	195	19	Jr.	Cedartown, Ga.
George Davison	5-11	182	19	So.	Marietta, Ga.
Larry Ellis	5-11	194	19	So.	Mobile, Ala.
Robert Fulghum (D)	6-1	187	19	Jr.	Bolivar, Tenn.
Hank Hall	6-1	192	19	Jr.	Miami, Fla.
Carl Hardy (O)	6-0	195	21	Sr.	Myrtle Beach, S. C.
Bobby Hess	6-0	205	19	So.	Pensacola, Fla.
Dwight Hurston	6-0	181	18	So.	Bremen, Ga.
Jimmy Jones	5-11	180	20	So.	Opp, Ala.
Lee Kidd (O)	6-0	205	21	Jr.	Atlanta, Ga.
Beal Lazenby	6-1	180	19	So.	Atlanta, Ga.
George Little	6-0	190	19	So.	Eufaula, Ala.
Don McCay	6-2	216	20	Jr.	Birmingham, Ala.
Harrison McCraw (D)	6-2	205	20	Sr.	Andalusia, Ala.
Bobby Payne	6-1	202	20	So.	Attalla, Ala.
Mike Perillard	6-1	200	19	Jr.	Hollywood, Fla.
Richard Plagge (O)	6-2	212	19	Jr.	Columbus, Ga.
Jimmy Weathers (D)	5-9	165	19	So.	Georgiana, Ala.
Bobby Wilson*	5-9	165	19	So.	Pensacola, Fla.

* Injured and out of spring football practice.

** Member of the baseball team.

(O) Scheduled for offense only.

(D) Scheduled for defense only.



LAST COMMISSIONING—Mrs. Susie Hackney is shown with Col. Robert B. Marshall, Commandant of the Auburn University School of Military Science, as she attended her 109th—and last—commissioning of graduating officer candidates where she was given special recognition. Secretary for the Auburn Army ROTC Department for 39 years, Mrs. Hackney is retiring May 31. "Miss Susie" is the mother of Lt. Col. Donald Hackney '45.

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award—the Exceptional Civilian Service Award—for his "Major scientific and managerial contributions to the national security."

Maj. Jack G. Ferrell is stationed at Barksdale Field, La.

Robert C. Haraway is an electrical engineer with the Army Missile Command at Redstone Arsenal.

Jean Thomas Fox is chief technician in the Virology lab at Barnes Hospital Group in St. Louis, Mo.

Hershel K. Bolt owns the Western Auto Associate Store in West Point, Ga.

J. Bruce Martin is personnel manager for Proctor & Gamble in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Dr. Carroll S. Crawford is physician-radiologist at Greenlawn Hospital at Atmore.

John W. Scott, Jr., is professor of law the University of North Carolina.

'44 Mrs. Dorothy M. Durrett teaches at Anniston Academy in Anniston.

Dwight P. Kelley is assistant county supervisor with the Farmers Home Administration at Enterprise.

NEW ADDRESSES: Mrs. Kathryn Harmon Ferrell, Milwaukee, Wisc.; N. N. Barrington, Auburn; John G. Coats, Jr., Calhoun, Tenn.;

'45 William R. Ireland is executive vice president of the consumers division of Vulcan Materials Co. in Chicago, Ill.

NEW ADDRESSES: Lt. Col. William E. Birks, Houston, Tex.; Mrs. Beryl Walker O'Reilly Jeffers, Ft. Lewis, Wash.; Mrs. Margaret Rogers Moore, Pensacola, Fla.

'47 Cmdr. Walter J. Wright, Jr., is currently serving as CIC officer of the aircraft carrier U.S.S. HANCOCK in the Vietnam area. His wife, Kathryn, and daughter, Kelly Ward, live in Columbus, Ga.

George F. Reddick, Jr., is president of Reddick Construction Co. in Thomaston, Ga.

William B. McGehee, Jr., is president of Talladega Insurance Agency.

Martha C. Huckabee bought and opened Huckabee Drugs in Uniontown during December.

Calvin M. Jones is with the USDA Entomology Research Division located on

the East Campus of the University of Nebraska at Lincoln.

Capt. Dale W. Parrish is now chief of the Entomology Section, USAF 5th Epidemiological Flight at Clark Air Base in the Philippines.

'48 Frasier T. Galloway is an agricultural statistician with the USDA in Austin, Tex.

Henry S. Arnold owns Consolidated Engineering Co. in Birmingham.

Billy L. Harbert is executive vice president of Harbert Construction Corp. in Birmingham.

James H. McCary, III, is vice president of investments for Southern Life & Health Insurance Co. in Birmingham.

Col. Coleman O. Williams, Jr., USAF, is attached to the Joint Chiefs of Staff at the Pentagon. He has also earned a Master's in International Affairs at George Washington University. Col. Williams' son, Coleman, III, is a junior at Auburn.

Bernard S. Blake, Jr., is chairman of the component instrumentation branch of NASA at Marshall Space Flight Center in Huntsville. He is married to Jane Pope '49.

AUBURN CLUBS

Brevard County, Fla., Auburn Club held their first meeting Mar. 12 in Cocoa Beach, Fla. Calling themselves the Spaceport War Eagles, the 111 alumni attending elected B. J. Dryer, III, '46 president. Other officers will be elected in the near future. Any alumnus in the Cape Kennedy area who is interested in the new Auburn club should contact B. J. Dryer '46 at 205 Cocoa Avenue, Indiatlantic, Fla.

Middle Georgia Auburn Club met Mar. 17 with Coach Ralph Jordan as speaker. William G. (Jerry) Fowler '20 gave a report on local Auburn Annual Giving '66. The group also elected the following new officers: president, Emmett E. (Bill) Casson '36 of Macon; vice president, George M. Clay '55 of Macon; secretary, Mrs. Ann Hutchinson Peake '50; treasurer, Don A. Pinson '62 of Macon.

ONLY YESTERDAY

By Christy Haynes '66

50 YEARS AGO—The classes of 1876, '81, '91, '96, 1901, '06, and '11 were busy planning reunions to be held during June Commencement Week.

A new hog cholera serum plant was established by the state at Auburn. The building still stands on West Thach opposite the Field House and houses the State Diagnostic Lab. Dr. C. A. Cary, State Veterinarian and Dean of the Auburn Veterinary Department, was in charge. Farmers were urged to have their hogs inoculated.

Tau chapter of Phi Epsilon Pi social fraternity was installed at Auburn by members of the Georgia Tech and University of Georgia chapters. The group was honored at a banquet at the Clement Hotel, Opelika.

L. P. Hodnette '17 won the annual Junior Oration Contest with his speech entitled "Perseverance."

The Junior class elected editors and business staffs for the next term's student publications. Editor for the *Orange and Blue* was T. T. McLemore '17 now deceased; business manager was L. L. Turley '17, and advertising manager, the late Y. G. Samford '17. *Glomerata* Editor was G. R. Bowling '17. The late R. M. House '17 was business manager and J. P. Robertson '17 was advertising manager.

The Stonecutters sponsored a short story contest. The prize, a loving cup,

Henry G. Pitchford is assistant professor of sociology at San Jose State College in San Jose, Calif.

Mrs. Virginia Cooksey Hinton (M.S.) has completed all the work for the Ph.D in English at the University of Georgia except the dissertation and will join the faculty of Kennesaw Junior College as an assistant professor of English in September.

John J. McMahon has been appointed a superintendent of fire underwriting at the Newark, N. J., headquarters of Continental Insurance Co. He and his wife, Helene, and their five children live in Carteret, N. J.

William L. Ivey, associate director of North Carolina Memorial Hospital at Chapel Hill, N. C., has been named chairman of a national committee to

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was displayed in a window at Burton's Bookstore.

The Birth of A Nation, D. W. Griffith's spectacular, played the Auburn Gymnasium in early May. The *Orange and Blue* dedicated much of its April 21st issue to a review of the film.

25 YEARS AGO—Nelle Gilchrist '42 (now Mrs. J. M. Peebles of Franklin, Tenn.) was elected president of the women's Student Government Association. Other candidates for the office were Anita Albright '42 of Union Springs (Mrs. W. L. Samuel of Birmingham) and Mary Beth Marshall '42 of Ozark (now Mrs. E. E. Prather of Auburn).

Citizenship Recognition Day was held on the A.P.I. campus on April 9. The event, sponsored by the Department of Education, the Alabama Education Association, and the Parent-Teacher Association, featured Judge W. B. Bolling, as speaker.

Alpha Zeta, national undergraduate honorary society, was installed at Auburn. Students from the upper two-fifths of the Junior and Senior classes were chosen on a basis of scholarship, leadership and character.

Pan American Day was celebrated with Dr. Ricardo Alfaro, ex-President of Panama and Minister to the United States, as speaker.

The 19th Annual Auburn Horse Show was held at Drake Field on April 27th. The show featured eleven events including jumping and trick riding.

Elected *Glomerata* Editor was Joe Meadows '42. Sam Nettles '42 was elected business manager of the publication.

Auburn Greeks were represented at the Southeastern Interfraternity Conference in Atlanta on the Georgia Tech campus.

Hankins Parker, '41 Auburn Veterinary Medicine student, was elected president of the Southern Federation of College Student and Press Representatives at the organization's annual convention in Atlanta.

Glomeratas were distributed the last week in April.

Scabbard and Blade, honorary military organization, initiated twenty-seven Auburn juniors into their ranks.



NEW OFFICERS—The 1966 officers for the Middle Georgia Auburn Club are, left to right: Don A. Pinson '62, treasurer; Mrs. Ann Hutchinson Peake '50, secretary; Emmett E. Casson '36, president; and George M. Clay '55, vice president.

In Memoriam—'01 Through '69

William J. Cameron, Jr., '01 died last November at his home in Redondo Beach, Calif. He is survived by his widow; a son, Dr. James Cameron of Alexander City; a daughter, Mrs. Virginia Craig, of Leeds; three sisters; and several grandchildren.

Shelby M. Cullom '10 of Bradenton Beach, Fla., died Aug. 23. Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Laura Cullom.

Percy McCall Smith '11 of Birmingham died Sept. 25 according to information received by the Alumni Association.

Charles L. Torbert, Sr., '13 died Mar. 4 in LaFayette following a heart attack. For a number of years he was in the hardware business and he was a founder of the Farmers and Merchants Bank in LaFayette. At the time of his death, he was on the Bank's Board of Directors. Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Bessie Tucker Torbert; two daughters, Mrs. John Hanson of East Point, Ga.; and Mrs. John A. Beggs of Montgomery; a son, Charles L. Torbert, Jr., '50; and five grandchildren.

Mrs. Frances Duncan Woodroof '15 of Athens died Feb. 6. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Julia W. Nelson, and a son, James W. Woodroof '46, both of Athens.

James T. French '18 died in November 1964, according to information received by the Alumni Office.

Dr. Estes Henry Hargis '19 of Daffodil Hills died Mar. 19 in Hargis Hospital in Birmingham. The retired physician who had established the Hargis professorships of English and American Literature at Auburn, received an honorary doctorate from his alma mater on Dec. 16. He is survived by his widow and one uncle, Benjamin Herbert Smith of Whitwell, Tenn.

William Terrell Harrison '27 of West Point, Ga., is deceased according to information received by the Alumni Association.

James Paul Davidson '27 is deceased according to information received by the Alumni Association.

Patrick I. Washington '31 of Waverly died suddenly Mar. 17 at his home. Survivors include the widow; three sons, George '51 of Wetumpka; Lavelle '49 of Auburn and Max '50 of Biloxi, Miss.; two daughters, Mrs. Lyman Pittman '50 (Wilda Faye), and Mrs. Don Walters '57 (Martha), both of Auburn; 15 grandchildren; J. E. Washington '30 of Montgomery and four other brothers and four sisters.

Col. Leo H. McKinnon '32 died during December 1965 according to information received by the Alumni Association.

Fred Lee Brower '33 died Mar. 17 in Birmingham. Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Thigpen Brower '33; three daughters, Mrs. I. M. Whelan, Jr., of Birmingham, Mrs. W. A. Tatum of Auburn, and Miss Charlotte Brower of Charlotte, N. C.; and two sons, Fred Lee, Jr., of Birmingham, and William A. of Charlotte, N. C.

Edgar L. Payne '36, chief of weight control at North American Aviation, Inc., in Los Angeles, Calif., where he had worked 29 years, died of a heart attack on Mar. 7. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Geraldine Payne; a daughter, Patty, 12 years old; and a sister, Mrs. Peggy Stribling of Florence. He was an elder in the Presbyterian Church, combat veteran of WW II, and past group president of a professional engineering society.

Albert Rogers Wild '39 of Auburn died Mar. 9. Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. James Flanagan of Montgomery and a son, Joe Allen Wild of Auburn.

Mrs. Ora LeMaster Thompson '43 died Feb. 18 according to information from Miss Maude L. Cousins '41.

Miss Genevieve Lanier '49 of Mount Vernon, Ga., is deceased according to information received by the Alumni Association.

David L. Hogan '49 of Mobile was killed in a plane crash in 1961 according to information received by the Alumni Association.

Robert Kimball Brackney '51, a senior development engineer with Honeywell Corp. in Clearwater, Fla., recently died with cancer. He helped design the guidance systems for Project Gemini and worked on the Pershing Missile design checking group with the Martin Co. Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Elma Caraway Brackney '51; three children: Robert Kimball, Jr., 12; Amy, 7; and Mark, 6; and two brothers, William Michael Brackney '58 and Ross C. Brackney.

Mrs. Beverly Ann Stone Bearden '57 of Barstow, Fla., died Nov. 24 after a long illness. She is survived by her husband, Paul L. Bearden, Jr., '60; her mother, Mrs. John B. Stone of Montgomery; and a brother, John B. Stone '58. Mrs. Bearden had been an officer and active in the Barstow Episcopal Church Women, United Church Women, and Girl Scouts.

James Byron Whatley '60 of Montgomery



FIFTH AND LAST—March graduate Jim Thomas is the fifth child in his family to graduate from Auburn. Shown with him following his commissioning on graduation day are his wife, Laurice Butler '65, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey Thomas, Sr., of Montgomery. Jim, who graduated in industrial management, is now stationed at Ft. Belvoir, Va. The other Thomas children are: Dr. John Harvey, Jr., '48, who teaches at Mobile Baptist College; Donald '52, a commercial artist in Orlando, Fla.; Jean (Mrs. Clarke R. Newlin) '54, a housewife in Houston, Tex.; and Edward '57, a registered architect in Orlando, Fla.

ery died suddenly Feb. 28. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Shirley Scott Whatley; a son, James Glenn Whatley; a daughter, Miss Luanne Whatley, all of Montgomery; parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Whatley; a brother, W. C. Whatley; and a sister, Mrs. Ruth W. Davis, all of Dadeville.

William T. Beard '69 of Auburn, sophomore in journalism and baseball squad member, was killed Mar. 18 in an automobile accident near Florala. He was asleep in the back seat of a compact car which went out of control and overturned several times. Survivors include his parents, Mrs. and Mrs. R. L. Beard of Auburn, a sister, Mrs. Sadie Jean Beard Hannah '62 of Auburn, and brother, Bobby, a junior at Auburn and halfback on the football team.

Carl Dennis works with the Auburn Extension Service in Henry County. His wife Mary Charles Price '52 is teaching science and biology at Abbeville High School in Abbeville. They have a 12-year-old son, Ronald.

'51 Walter Jordan Cooner is an account executive with Dabbs Sullivan Investment Co. in Little Rock, Ark. Sage D. Copeland, M. D., has a private practice in Decatur.

Lewis W. Puckett is a veterinarian in Charlotte, N. C. His wife, the former Billie Johnson, teaches in Charlotte.

Doug Harris has received a Ph.D. in radiobiology from Rochester and now heads the division of radiobiology for the Air Force Aeromedical Division in San Antonio, Tex.

Hoyt Grissom is a forester for Great Southern Paper Co. in Cedar Springs, Ga.

Cooper Malone Battle is a missionary in Juanjui, San Martin, Peru. With him are his wife and three children.

Don Lambert resigned as principal of the Opelika Junior High to become business manager for the Opelika State Vocational-Technical School. He and his wife, Betty, have three children: Steve, Jane, and Neil.

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study the structure and organization of the American Heart Association.

'49 Angelo Tomasso, Jr., is president of A. Tomasso, Inc., in New Britain, Conn. His wife is Betty Joy Love '51.

Dr. John P. Mims is a physician in Tusculum.

John Paul Scherer works with Texas Textiles in McKinney, Tex.

John B. Watson is the sanitation officer with the Pickens County Health Dept.

Thedford J. Whitley is a metallurgical analyst with T.C.I. in Birmingham.

Raymond Werden, Jr., is a procurement analyst with the Army Missile Command at Redstone Arsenal.

James S. Lawler is vice president and general manager of the Skyland International Corp. at Morganton, N. C.

Eddie L. Brooks is manager of the scientific computer system at NASA's Michoud Computation Office in New Orleans.

Robert B. Porter teaches at Snead Jr. College at Boaz.

Charles C. Mahery is vice president of Athens Stove Works in Athens, Tenn.

John F. Yarbrough is executive vice-president and editor and publisher of THE POULTRY TIMES at Gainesville, Ga.

Wesley M. Meeks manages North Alabama Lumber Co. at Jasper and is president of Missala Stages, Inc., a bus-

line out of Jasper.

Robert F. Williamson is claims supervisor for the State Employment Service.

Catesby C. Jones owns Mabry Securities Co., a general insurance company in Selma.

William A. Talley, Jr., is a sales pharmacist for Parke, Davis & Co. in West Point, Ga. His wife, Dorothy Pitts Talley '40, teaches fifth grade at Fairfax.

Charles T. Hudson is a law student at the University of Arkansas.

'50 Joseph F. Reagan owns a pharmacy in Hartford.

Shelby T. Brooks is a partner in Stacey Drugstore in Foley.

Charles L. Torbert, Jr., is president of Farmer & Merchants Bank in LaFayette.

Don E. Tillery, D. D. S., is an oral surgeon in Winter Park, Fla.

John P. Willis, Jr., is president of the First National Bank of Guntersville. His wife is Mary Eleanor Ragsdale Willis '52.

Horace E. Dryden is a partner in Collins & Dryden, Architects in Dallas, Tex.

Ed R. Munger has been named sales manager of The Shook Co., Birmingham real estate firm.

Henry R. Miller has been named assistant state conservation engineer for the Alabama Soil Conservation Service. He and his wife, Sara, have four-year-old twin sons.

Alumni Faces In The News



COX



VICK

Bradley T. Cox '47 of Mt. Prospect, Ill., has been named regional manager for electric utility service in General Electric's installation and service engineering department. He will have charge of G.E.'s electric utility accounts in the central region with offices in Chicago and Cleveland.

J. J. Vick '47 has been made superintendent of the new department of Industrial Engineering and Systems in the Pensacola plant of Chemstrand.

Science and Humanities—Two Cultures at Auburn?

By W. S. BAILEY
Associate Dean, Graduate School

There are some who believe that Snow's "two cultures" is, at best, a scarcely accurate cliché. However this may be, we must all agree that establishing a measure of common understanding and meaningful communication between various fields of specialization is extremely difficult, if not at times almost hopeless. This is especially true when these specialties are as different as, for example, high energy physics and Elizabethan literature.

The frightening aspect of this is the fact that, as President Eisenhower of Johns Hopkins University has recently observed, science is rapidly giving us the means to build a new world, but does not (in fact, cannot) tell us what kind of world it should be, or how we as individual citizens can live in it.

The great challenge facing the educated citizenry for decisions on what kind of world we should build with our science and technology was emphasized for me recently by speakers at the National Research Council. In a panel discussion of research needs in environmental health, it was repeatedly stressed that, in the closed system in which our rapidly increasing population is living, society must make important decisions on the calculable risks it is willing to take for the benefits to be derived in changes being made in the environment. Establishing the base line of data on which to make these decisions will be the responsibility of specialists in the sciences, including the social sciences. But, this is only a part of the problem. The basic decisions on the price we are willing to pay and the risks we are willing to take, as well as the motivation required to achieve management practices for quality environment, demand knowledgeable participation by the humanists as well as the scientists.

Comprehension and Appreciation

It seems obvious, then, that in the future more and more of our college graduates, regardless of their own areas of specialization, should be knowledgeable enough in the sciences to have at least a general comprehension of the science involved and at the same time have a basic appreciation of the spiritual and psychological needs of man to permit a careful judgment of the best course of action for society to take. This kind of education must be a continuing process, but it seems to me that it will be achieved much more easily and fully—for several reasons—if the proper beginning is made in the undergraduate program.

I submit that colleges and universities should be providing this education, but that we aren't doing a very good job of it. And of even greater concern there seems to be little evidence of an awareness of the need or the desire to do so.

Having made these general observations, I now turn to a view of the situation on this campus. Auburn University, for all practical purposes, has been a "one culture" institution. This does not mean, of course, that we have not had, and do not now have, competent people from the "other culture" on the faculty, and it may very well be considered by some of my colleagues as an oversimplification. But the record will show quite clearly, I think, that the institution has—by its very nature—been



Bailey

By MARTIAL A. HONNELL
Professor of Electrical Engineering

I wish to point out that the opinions I express here are those I have obtained in many discussions with students and faculty members of the Electrical Engineering Department at Auburn University.

The Southern Humanities Conference

Auburn University was host April 1-2 to some 100 delegates to the 19th annual Southern Humanities Conference. Theme of the conference was "The Two Cultures"—an effort to assess and define the problem of what many believe to be a widening gulf between science and the humanities. One session of the conference featured a panel discussion by four members of the Auburn faculty, "The Two Cultures: A Campus View." With two to follow in the May issue, *The Alumnews* presents here extracts from two of the faculty presentations, believing many alumni will find them stimulating and informative.

The Southern Humanities Conference is a cooperative council of societies in the humanities which, with Southern universities and colleges and Southern business and industry, works toward the advancement of the intellectual culture of the South. During the meeting, the Conference voted to sponsor jointly with Auburn University a new journal, *The Southern Humanities Review*.

Dr. Jack Durant of the English Department, campus chairman for the Conference, was elected secretary-treasurer of the Conference.

so science and technology oriented that the non-scientists have been viewed as filling a service role. In this capacity they have been considered as serving a necessary function—teaching the science students to verbalize and write reasonably well, at least well enough to graduate.

For Auburn—An Opportunity

Fortunately, the situation has changed some in recent years, and there is evidence that we are moving to establish a significant beachhead in the second culture. It may be that an institution such as Auburn has an opportunity to avoid some of the problems of a two-culture dichotomy, with the recognition of the importance of the humanities in the institution's program coming at this point in history. It should be possible to avoid the problems more easily than to correct them—if we are alert to the needs of the present, the anticipated needs of the near future, and the experience of others who are trying new approaches to this problem.

An example of the task facing us is the developing of suitable courses to give the non-scientist an understanding

of the spectacular discoveries being made in biology and their implications for the future—some of which are to involve the humanist as much as the biologist.

Of equal importance is the task of transmitting to the science student a real understanding of the relevance of man's humanistic experiences. Something more than the traditional service course in literature, art or philosophy will be required—just as something more than a typical course in beginning zoology or botany will be required to accomplish the above task. I suspect that the humanist must somehow change his orientation so that he is significantly concerned with the present and the future if he is successful—in an institution such as Auburn—in bringing his scholarship to bear on the pressing issues of the kind of world we are to build and the way in which we are to live in it.

It will be in identifying needs of this type, and in vigorously exploring new ways of satisfying them, that we at Auburn can help bridge the gap between the cultures as we expand our activities in the humanities.

Most of us at Auburn were not aware that real conflict exists in America between the two cultures although we had read about the Snow conflict. The engineering professions consider a study of the humanities by engineering students to be of major importance. May I suggest that if a conflict exists, it must be in the minds of the humanists and not in the minds of the engineers.

It is understandable that the humanist may have a feeling of frustration toward the scientist. For centuries the custodian of man's culture was the literate man—the humanist. Now the humanist finds himself to be partially literate. He can neither read nor comprehend the scientific literature. On the other hand, the scientist can read the literature of the humanist and continues to do so throughout his lifetime. We see no reason why this should be a basis for conflict between the two cultures. It may indicate the desirability for the humanist to broaden his educational background. To this end, we believe that the engineering teachers have an obligation to develop for the humanist a course dealing with engineering methods and engineering achievements.

The student of the humanities often takes great pride in the fact that he has a liberal arts education. It does not occur to him that his education is liberal in name only. He receives a minimal education in the basic sciences and no education at all in the applied, or engineering, sciences.

It is our belief that it is the engineer who has a liberal education—an education consisting of the humanities, social studies, basic sciences and engineering sciences. A point of deep satisfaction to the teachers of the engineering fields is that they attract a large share of intelligent students who are interested in the humanities as well as in the sciences.

It seems to us, that in an effort to understand man, the humanist looks too much to the past and may be said to be guilty of a form of "ancestor worship". We agree that a study of the cultural achievements of man is of prime importance to all men. But these achievements must include those

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'52 Harold L. Eskew is president of Harold Construction Corp. in Huntsville.

Joseph M. Tiburzi is manager of retread sales for the Firestone Tire & Rubber Co. in Concordville, Pa.

Dowling C. Miller is a district salesman for Central Soya Co., Inc., in Chattanooga, Tenn.

Warren I. Hanson owns a drugstore in Lynn Haven, Fla.

Mrs. Joyce Doner Markle is the new president of the Birmingham Retail Druggists Auxiliary.

William B. Parker has been transferred to Jackson, Miss., with the U.S.D.A. Soil Conservation Service. He is in charge of soil analysis for Mississippi.

BORN: A daughter, Martha Shanklin, to Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey G. Bennett, Jr., of Jacksonville, Fla., on Mar. 16...

'53 James H. Landers, Jr., is a pilot for Delta Airlines.

Mrs. Emily Bradbury Brock teaches fifth grade in Dadeville.

William H. Appich, Jr., is an aerodynamics engineer with Martin-Marietta Corp. in Orlando, Fla.

Oscar W. Pardue is a partner in Poole & Pardue, architects in Birmingham.

William L. Smith is division superintendent of Teflon in duPont de Nemours' plant in Parkersville, W. Va. He and his wife, Ann Crumly Smith '55, live in Belpre, Ohio.

John P. Cole, Jr., is a partner in the newly-formed law firm of Cole & Zylstra in Washington, D. C. They specialize in radio, television, and general communications law.

Dr. Euclid Curtis Sharman has been assigned to the emergency animal disease staff of the U.S.D.A. Research Service in Hyattsville, Md.

Marilynne Anne Paler, whose professional name is Marilyn Myson, recently finished a singing engagement at the Theatrical Restaurant in Cleveland, Ohio. She is employed in the general accounting department of Republic Steel in Cleveland.

Alumni Faces In The News



ADAMS



LYONS

George Frank Adams '48 has been named overseer of the preparatory department of the Langdale Mill of West Point-Pepperell, Inc.

John Herman Lyons '49 has been promoted to production and specifications manager at the Langdale Mill of West Point-Pepperell. He and his wife, Myrna, have four children: Steven Bartley, Joel Thomas, John Herman, III, and Suzy Janette.

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'54 Vince Dooley, University of Georgia football coach, helped judge America's Junior Miss pageant held in Mobile during March.

James K. Haygood, Jr., Auburn attorney and former city council member, will be listed in the 1966 edition of "Outstanding Young Men of America." He was one of four outstanding young men of 1965 in the annual Junior Chamber of Commerce program.

'55 Dr. Daniel M. Thomas is a veterinarian in Forest, Miss.

Robert D. Word, Jr., is president of Word Theaters & Vending, Inc., in Scottsboro.

Neil E. Christopher, M. D., is a partner in Boggess-Christopher Clinic in Guntersville.

Mrs. Julia Katherine Hanlin Smith lives in Tulsa, Okla., where her husband, James, is with Humble Oil Co.

Maj. Joe T. Williams began training in April for a special Air Force assignment to Thailand which he will begin in July.

Edward A. Keyes and his wife, Ann Sadler '57, live in Memphis, Tenn., where he is an associate architect with Roy P. Harrover & Associates.

Malcolm R. Miner is returning to the U. S. this month after doing construction work in Ecuador.

John D. Logue is college sports editor for The Atlanta Journal.

BORN: A daughter, Patricia Elizabeth, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Zarzaur of Birmingham on Feb. 16.

'56 John E. Garrison is a field superintendent with Humble Oil and Refining Co. in Grand Isle, La.

Sam J. Strickland is assistant airport manager at the Birmingham Municipal Airport.

Robert S. Jordan is vice president of Adams-Cates Co. in Atlanta.

Mrs. Juliet J. Knoblauch teaches in Eatontown, N. J.

Robert W. O'Neill is a research engineer with Lockheed Missiles & Space Co. in Huntsville.

Jen Hwang is a duck disease specialist at Cornell University Duck Research Laboratory in Eastport, N. Y.

William Neville, Jr., is president of the newly-chartered Eufaula Art Association.

Thomas L. Clack has been promoted to senior engineer in the project scheduling and control section of the central engineering department at the Chemstrand plant in Decatur. He and his wife, Peggy Johnson '58, have three children: Pamela, 8; Eliese, 5; and Thomas-Lee, Jr., 11 months.

BORN: A daughter, Marisa Michelle, to Mr. and Mrs. Michele Sutter Long of Birmingham.

'57 Don Lambert of Tiger Motor Co. in Auburn has been presented a 300-500 Club membership award by the Ford Motor Co. Atlanta Sales District for "excellent retail sales performance." The Club recognizes outstanding Ford salesmen throughout the U. S.

William F. Cosby is a civil engineer with TVA.

Cecil G. Thrasher, Jr., manages Helicopters, Inc., at Bowman Field in Louisville, Ky.

Marion C. Wright is head of the mathematics department at North Georgia College in Dahlonega.

Terry A. Kirkely is head of the distillation and cracking department of Humble Oil & Refining Co. in Baton Rouge, La. He is married to Mina Propst '54.

Capt. Robert G. Bradshaw, Jr., is attending F-105 training at Seymour-Johnson AFB, N. C. He is married to

Betty Beverly Bradshaw '59.

Dr. Betsy Davis is the newly-elected president of the Alabama Division of the American Association of University Women. Dr. Davis is a professor of nutritional biology at Tuskegee Institute and her husband, Dr. Frank B. Davis, is head of the Speech Department at Auburn.

Clarence Jerry Hyche has been promoted to superintendent of Callaway Mill's Unity plant. Hyche, who has an M.S. from the Institute of Textile Technology, is married to the former Janice Thompson.

BORN: A daughter, Elizabeth Collier, to Mr. and Mrs. Horace H. Pearson, Jr., of Jackson, Miss., on Mar. 18. . . . A daughter, Leslie Maria, to Mr. and Mrs. Forest D. Gray of Langdale on Mar. 17. . . . A son, Charles F., Jr., to Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Lloyd (Margaret Gail Montgomery). He joins big sister, Sharon, 4. The Lloyds live in Circleville, Ohio, where Charles is an engineer with E. I. duPont de Nemours & Co. . . .

A daughter, Susan Earlene, to Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Awbrey (Frances Earlene Rose '59) of Jackson, Miss., on Jan. 17. She joins big sister, Sarah Frances, 15 months. Mr. Awbrey is a systems engineering manager with I.B.M. . . . A daughter, Charlotte Blair, to Dr. and Mrs. H. B. White, Jr., (Carolyn Sue Odom White) of Jackson, Miss., on Feb. 20. She joins big brother, Harold, 6. Dr. White is a biochemist on the faculty of the University of Mississippi School of Medicine.

'58 James E. Burdette works with testing RL-10 rocket engines in his new job as operations engineer with Pratt & Whitney in Lake Park, Fla.

Mrs. Jean Dawson Stockburger lives in El Dorado, Ark.

Charles F. Bach is senior test engineer for I.T.T. Cannon Electric Co. in Phoenix, Ariz.

James Loren Perry is chief evaluator at the Evaluation Center for the Deaf at Cave Spring, Ga.

Sentell Harper is the new football coach at Auburn High School. He was assistant coach and senior social studies teacher prior to his new appointment.

Jeanne Priester, specialist in educational methods for Auburn Extension Service, has been appointed a member of the public relations committee of Pilot International for 1966-67.

James L. Edison is associated with the U. S. Epperson Underwriters in Cullman.

Capt. Neal E. Earley received the Air Medal Feb. 26 for outstanding achievement in aerial support of ground forces in combat in Vietnam. A pilot, Capt. Earley has been in Vietnam since November.

'59 Reginald C. Rahn is a psychologist at Ohio State Penitentiary. His wife Vicki Teague '60, is an accountant in Columbus, Ohio.

Vincent Lopez is a teaching assistant in the School of Pharmacy at the University of Mississippi, where he expects to receive his doctorate in June.

James Robert Corcoran is a resident in surgery at the Mayo Graduate School of Medicine in Rochester, Minn.

Jack D. Noah is now in the plant engineering division of International Latex Corp. at Newman, Ga. He is married to Bobbie Lou Gillespie.

Frank Morgan Emory is district manager of the General Electric Credit Corp. in Columbus, Ga.

Milton B. Kirkland is now a field engineer at General Electric's main office in Pittsfield, Mass.

Capt. Sterling G. Culpepper, Jr., will



DEAN SPIDLE HONORED—The Home Economics Alumnae Association honored Mrs. Marion W. Spidle, center, retiring dean of the Auburn School of Home Economics, at their annual luncheon April 2. Dr. Ann Hussey Caudle '49, left, head professor of family life and childhood education, was elected president. Mrs. Carolyn Horn Beck '58, right, is the outgoing president. Alumnae learned that the Dorothy Dean Arnold Memorial Scholarship Fund had reached \$4,565 as R. G. Arnold '11 had presented a second check for \$1,000, matching other contributions to the fund in memory of his wife.

Two Cultures

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of the scientist as well as those in which the humanist is interested.

(Editor's note: Professor Rea of the Department of History explores this point in some detail in his paper which will be printed next month.)

The discoveries of the scientists followed by the creative inventions of the engineers, and the manufacture of devices by the industrialists have led to the present—physical welfare of Western Man. A question that is frequently asked by many humanists is, "What about the nuclear bomb?" There was no alternative. The pure scientist had an obligation to mankind to reveal his basic discoveries in nuclear fission. The decision to manufacture the bomb was in the hands of politicians trained in the humanities. Even today we find that the Government has not created a post of cabinet rank for a scientific, or engineering, adviser.

The point we wish to make is that we believe that the scientist and engineer must participate in the political life of this Nation. The engineer recognizes that he has not taken his proper place in political life. He believes that his analytical approach to problems can make a worthwhile contribution to society. This is one of the many reasons why a broad education in the humanities and in the social studies is of major importance to the scientist and to the engineer.

The great challenge to both the scientist and the humanist is that we must find a way to awaken a continuing deep interest in the humanities on the part of our students in the sciences. What man learns is possibly less important than that he continues to learn throughout his lifetime. It is an unfortunate fact that interest in the humanities is some-

finish a three-year tour in Ramstein, Germany, in May.

Kenneth R. Hilyer has resigned as assistant basketball coach at Chipola Jr. College in Marianna, Fla., to head the plant facilities of the Commerce Telephone Co. in Commerce, Ga.

Lt. William D. Mayo, Jr., and his wife, Diana Dalton '59, live in Pensacola, Fla., where he is a basic flight instructor.

Lt. W. Richard Guetter is now stationed at Tinker AFB, Okla.

John E. Payne, Jr., is regional manager of the new Pittsburgh office of the North American Benefit Association.

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times squelched by immature graduate students who are too preoccupied with their own problems to do a competent teaching job. The teaching of humanities is a job for the mature teacher.

At Auburn University the typical electrical engineering student takes one-fifth of his course work in the humanities and social studies, and one-third of his course work in electrical engineering. In fact, except for one electrical engineering course during the third quarter of the sophomore year, we do not see the student until the junior year. Contrast this with your opportunity. You have access to the student's mind starting with the kindergarten.

However, engineers and physicists have a great advantage over the humanists. They may express technical ideas in contradiction to existing theories without fear of reprisals. Never-the-less they frequently upset the status quo through their discoveries and inventions. Consider the changes brought about by the automobile, the airplane, radio, television, sound movies, the electric light, refrigeration, etc. Each of these inventions opened up new horizons and created new social problems for mankind. Here, again, the disciples of the humanities and of the social studies have an obligation to help solve the new social problems created by applied science.

It is our firm hope that we will continue to educate people with diverse objectives and philosophies. To educate people according to one philosophy may be to court disaster. Quality, rather than sameness, is what we should strive for in all areas of learning. The one factor that impresses me about the old concept of the humanities is that any person who has mastered Greek and Latin is a superior person who has passed through a difficult filter. May I suggest that the engineering graduate is also a superior person who has passed through a difficult filter? I believe that the humanists and the scientists are interested in a common goal: to improve the welfare of man through education and knowledge.

I wish to issue an invitation to the humanist to visit with the engineer. He will find, to his surprise, that the engineer enjoys art and classical music, he has traveled, he speaks foreign languages, he reads history and literature, and he is intelligent and indulges in deep, logical, irritating thought.

Let me state, in closing, that we like you. We believe that you are doing a good job in a difficult area. You can count on our support in your objective to turn out a completely educated man.

ALUMNALITIES

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Capt. George A. Slaughter and his wife Elizabeth Nagler '62, are living in Dover, Del., where he is stationed. They recently spent two months at Tinker, AFB, Okla., where Capt. Slaughter learned to fly the new C-141. The Slaughters have three sons.

BORN: A son, David Glenn, to Mr. and Mrs. James D. Dixon, (Francelle Williams Dixon) of Chamblee, Ga., on Dec. 16. He joins big brother, Jay, 4. . . A daughter, Mary Virginia, to Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Locky, III (Sandra Stacy '60) of Birmingham on Dec. 8. Ginger joins Craig 5, and Stacey, 2. . . A daughter, Susan Elizabeth, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Swanson (Betty Beamguard) of San Francisco, Calif., on Mar. 17.

'60 Sylvia C. Short is a traffic supervisor with Southern Bell in Birmingham.

Jack Davis Mathews is a design engineer with Pratt and Whitney Aircraft in West Palm Beach, Fla.

Max R. Taylor is an engineer with Gaffney Manufacturing Co. in Gaffney, S. C.

Lt. Fred O. Fay, Jr., is currently taking a post graduate course in naval intelligence. After he completes the course in June he will be assigned to Vietnam as a pilot.

Robert L. Bridgman is a sales representative for Star Engraving Co. in Atlanta.

C. Lewis Gholston, III, has been promoted to agency assistant in the Life Department of Provident Life and Accident Insurance Co. in Chattanooga, Tenn.

MARRIED: Mary Jane Ogle to Danny F. Nail in Cocoa Beach, Fla., on Feb. 26. . . Mary Delilah Hall to Capt. Walter Thomas Whitman, III, on April 2 at Hickham AFB, Hawaii. . .

BORN: Twin sons, Thaddeus Meadows and Stevenson Meadows, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Davis Walker (Carole Meadows '62) of Montgomery on Sept. 5, 1965. They join Edward Davis, II, age 2. Mr. Walker became president of Walker Printing Co. Inc., on Jan. 10. . . A daughter, Lane Roberts, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thorington, Jr., of Montgomery on Jan. 28. . . A son, Christopher Phipps, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dennis O'Gara, Jr., of Birmingham on Feb. 19. . . A daughter, Stephanie Jill, to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Willis (Dorothy Simpson) of Birmingham on Mar. 3. She joins big sister Shawn, 3. . .

A daughter, Sally Lou Anne, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Oddo of Huntsville on Jan. 5. She joins big brother Anthony Joseph, 3. Mr. Oddo is an aerospace engineer with the Army Inertial Guidance and Control Laboratory of the Army Missile Command at Redstone Arsenal. . . A son, Cameron Michael, to Mr.

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PATTERSON



TALLEY

Andrew M. Patterson, Jr., '57 has been promoted to assistant supervisor in the Chemstrand plant in Decatur. He joined the company in 1964. He and his wife Jane have three children.

Clifford Leroy Talley '61 has been appointed standards supervisor at the Langdale Mill of West Point-Pepperell, Inc. He and his wife have a daughter, Elizabeth Ann.



SPRING BEAUTY—Cathy Hansell of Auburn is the Union's Miss April.

and Mrs. Robert Bruce Clark of Birmingham on Mar. 5.

'61 Bruce M. Bowers is a sales engineer with Gas Light Co. of Columbus, Ga.

Dr. Thomas Frederic Sapp is resident physician in pediatrics at Lloyd Noland Hospital in Fairfield. He is married to Rose Russell Sapp.

James Edward King is production supervisor for Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Co. in Decatur.

Fred W. Clearman is now with the agricultural products division of Union Carbide Corp. in Montgomery.

Capt. Eugene S. Risley, III, is a student at the U. S. Naval Post-graduate School in Monterey, Calif.

Dr. John E. Saidla has opened a new veterinary hospital in Auburn.

Capt. Charles W. Browning is currently stationed with the Seventh Army in Heilbrunn, Germany. His wife, Sue and two sons, Chuck and Ricky, are with him.

Jerry R. Fields works with Boeing in New Orleans.

Dr. Walter G. DeWitt has joined Rohm and Haas Co., Philadelphia plastics and chemicals manufacturer. Dr. DeWitt recently received his Ph. D. from the University of Illinois.

A. I. (Teal) Corte, Jr., of Loxley is a newly-elected director of the Southeastern Pecan Growers Association.

H. Wayne Posey is now accounting supervisor for the Coosa River Newsprint Division of Kimberly-Clark in Childersburg.

Leland W. Lambert is an electrical engineer in Vitro Services Test Laboratory at Marshall Space Flight Center in Huntsville.

Lt. Billy A. Bucklew is interning at the U. S. Naval Hospital in San Diego, Calif. His wife, Jane St. John '63, is teaching first grade at Ada Harris Elementary School at Cardiff-by-the-Sea.

Larry C. Harris has joined American Airlines as a methods engineer at their maintenance and engineering center in Tulsa, Okla.

MARRIED: Jane E. Dudley to Capt. Melvin L. Brooke, Jr., on Mar. 19. They are living in Columbus, Ga.

BORN: A son, Mark Russell, to Mr. and Mrs. L. Wayne Owens of Greenville, S. C.

'62 Robert R. Menzies is with Beech Aircraft Corp., in Wichita, Kan.

Joyce Richardson has joined the State 4-H Staff of the Extension Service at Clemson University. She expects to receive her Master's from Auburn in June.

Bradford E. Brown is with the Oklahoma Cooperative Fishery Unit at Okla-

homa State University.

Raymond H. Stone, Jr., is building a new veterinary clinic on Highway 60, north of Sturgis, Ky. He and his wife have three children: Zania, 4½; R. H., III, 3½, and Nancy Louvena, 5 months.

Bobby G. Jones is with General Electric computer department in Huntsville. William K. Littrell owns Bill's Lumber & Supply in Moulton.

Richard K. Guthrie is a graduate student in agronomy at Cornell University in Ithaca, N. Y.

WITH THE ARMED FORCES: 1/Lt. Robert Pickett Buchanan is administrative officer in the Air Force Security Service and is stationed at Samsun AFB, Turkey. . . Lt. Alexander Mair, Jr., 4315 CCTS, Vandenberg AFB, Calif. . . 1/Lt. Joe Westenhaver is an F-100 Super Sabre pilot in Vietnam. . . 1/Lt. Edwin Watson Smith, chief of the orientation division at the U. S. Army Electronic Proving Ground, Ft. Huachuca, Ariz. . . Lt. Albert J. Moon, at Otis AFB, Mass., . . . Lt. William Wayne Corles, his wife, Betty, and children, Donna and William, Jr., will spend the next two years on the Azores Islands off the coast of Portugal where he is stationed at Lajes Air Force Base.

Married: Linda Kay Wilhite to John Harrell Owens, Jr., in Hartselle on Mar. 5. John is employed with NASA in Huntsville. . .

Born: A son, Timothy Heath, to Mr. and Mrs. Cary L. Senn, Jr., of Pensacola, Fla., on Mar. 14. He joins brother Kenneth Lamar. . . A daughter, Sharon Victoria, to Mr. and Mrs. Burke C. Jones (Alice Bach Jones '61) of Atlanta on Jan. 29. Burke is an internal auditor with The Coca-Cola Company. . . Twin sons, William Patrick and Robert Austin, to Dr. Carolyn Trout Gay and her husband of Ashland, Ky., on Jan. 25. The twins join big sister, age 2. Dr. Trout operates Summit Veterinary Clinic at Ashland. . . A daughter, Elizabeth Ann, to Mr. and Mrs. James R. Henderson (Janet Mangram Henderson '64) of Huntsville on Mar. 19. . .

'63 WHERE THEY'RE WORKING:

Wendell James Newcomb, II, received the Master of Science from Iowa State University on Feb. 26. . . John C. Doolittle, Jr., has rejoined the Electro-Chemical R&D group of Diamond Alkali Chemical Co. in Painesville, Ohio, after being released from the Army. Before he was released, he received the Army Commendation Medal for his service at the Combat Development Command, CRB Agency at Ft. McClellan, Ala. . .

Mrs. Anne Godfrey Harriger is with her husband, Sgt. James Harriger, in

Augsburg, Germany. . . D. Douglas Walton is with Alabama Power Co. in Mobile. . . Ronald M. Thornhill has transferred to Stonewall, Miss., where he is an industrial engineer with Burlington Industries. . . He and his wife, Rene, have two daughters: Deborah, 4, and Ronette, 20 months. . . Phillip L. Davis, assistant traffic manager for Lithonia Lighting, Inc., Conyers, Ga. . . Robert Gordon Posey, Interstate Finance Co., Athens. . .

BORN: A son, John Dwight, Jr., to Mr. and Mrs. John Dwight Nolen of Horton on Jan. 22. John teaches math and science at Cleveland High, Cleveland. . . daughter, Kathryn Elizabeth, to Mr. and Mrs. James B. Lazenby of Auburn on Mar. 22. . . A daughter, Danni Leigh, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Davis (Geri McGriff '61) of Dothan on Mar. 8. She joins brother, Scott, 20 months. . .

A daughter, Monica Diane, to Mr. and Mrs. William P. Davis (Carolyn Hinkle) of West Point, Ga., on Feb. 23. . . A son, Darren Keith, to Mr. and Mrs. Edmond L. Pop of Hampton, Va., on Feb. 21. . . A daughter, Mary Beth, to Mr. and Mrs. Buford Burchfield (Linda Jones '65) of Lexington, Ky., on Dec., 24. . .

ADOPTED: A son, Jeffrey Carl, by Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Register of Birmingham. Jeff's birthday is Jan. 11.

'64 WHERE THEY'RE WORKING:

Walter S. Dumas, Jr., economic analyst with Shell Pipe Line Corp. in Houston, Tex. . . Wayne B. Owens, mechanical engineer with NASA at Kennedy Space Center, Fla. . . Robert E. Bryant is in London, England, for a six-month assignment by Lockheed-Georgia. . . James Van Joiner, management trainee at Avondale Mills in Sylacauga. . . Joseph C. Logan works with Jet Propulsion Laboratory on the Mariner 67 Space Program in South Pasadena, Calif. . . Dennis Stephen Willis received a B.S. in Civil engineering from Auburn in March. . .

MARRIED: Marianne Hixon '67 to James Henderson Phillips last Sept. 25 in River Falls. James works with Dow Chemical Co.'s plastics division in Camden, N. J. . . Randy Lee Luxenberg to John William Cottier on Feb. 26 in Mobile. John is working toward a Master's in archeology at the University of Alabama. . . Sharon Cecile Defnall of Jack Edward Rogers in Birmingham on Mar. 5. . . Jill Rosenau to Bobby Ray Hicks in Athens on Mar. 5. Jill works for Brown Engineering in Huntsville and her husband is business manager of Athens College. . . Beverly Joy Pitman to Lt. Douglas Valentine Johnson, II, on April 2 in Dothan.

CORRECTION: Elizabeth Field '65 to James Russell Thomas, Jr., in Auburn last Sept. 4.

'65 WHERE THEY ARE WORK-

ING: George A. Clark is an accountant with Reynolds Metals Co. in Sheffield. . . Francis W. Wilder, veterinarian for the Agricultural Research Service of the USDA at Decatur. . . Wade H. Bowie, Jr., classifications officer at Atmore State Prison. . . Ronnie Earl Dean, sales representative for International Paper Co. in Bainbridge, Ga. . . Victoria Gay Hrutkay is a graduate student in home economics at Auburn. . . Charles C. Thomas is town chairman for Huntsville Young Alabamians for Sparkman. . . Ronald H. Cowan is a mechanical engineer with Goodyear in Akron, Ohio. . .

Philip O. Riley is with Long Construction Co. in Conway, S. C. . . James B. Duke, associate engineer with Boeing in Huntsville. . . Melvin Sherrill Morris, estimator for Roberts Bros. & Co. in Gadsden. . . Terry R. Phillips, with Goodyear Tire Co. in Gadsden. . . William Stanley Nelson supervises the testing program in Henry County, Ga., and is counselor at Stockbridge High School.